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[TO THE OREGONIAN.]

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... Destroyed by Fire. ... House here burned ... and documents, ... the two buildings of ... burned this morn...

# PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

## CALIFORNIA.

### From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 9 —The expense to the city of entertaining King Kalakaua is $3 000

Yoshida Kigonari, Japanese Minister to Washington goes East to-day He is accompanied by his wife the Secretary of Legation and five other officials

Passed Carlin yesterday for Oregon I H Wakefield and wife

The great wrestling match at Platt's Hall last night, between Bauer and Miller was won by the former—two falls in three There was a large attendance, and much money changed hands

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 9 —Officers David, Coffey and Lennell this morning effected the capture of a notorious hoodlum named Frank McEvery who stabbed Frank Curley at the corner of Harrison and Ninth streets, on Monday evening, inflicting injuries likely to prove fatal The officers struck the trail of the ruffian last night, and about 8 o'clock this morning overhauled him on the road near the Fourteen mile House They came on him suddenly, permitting no chance to run He threw up his hands, halted, and was brought back and jailed this morning His examination awaits the result of young Curley's injuries McEvery is known to be one of the most vicious and dangerous of the hoodlum class, having several times been sent to the Industrial School, and frequently arrested for such crimes as garroting, burglary and grand larceny He is now about 21 years of age,

Frank Curley who was stabbed by the hoodlum, McEvera, on Monday evening died of his wounds this evening McEvera, who was arrested by the officers this morning near the 14 mile house, in San Mateo county has been jailed, and a charge of murder preferred against him.

### Interior California.

SALINAS Dec 9 —While playing fire to day some children fired a large stack of baled hay containing about 700 tons Total loss $6 000 No insurance

SHASTA Dec. 9 —Jno Lanson and French, arrested in Tehama county a few days ago on suspicion of being the Shasta stage robbers of November 21st, had an examination to day and were discharged, the evidence being insufficient

Wm West recently found guilty of murder in the second degree, was yesterday sentenced to ten years

LOS ANGELES Dec 9 —The Panamint *News* of the 3d says A large number of teams belonging to the company are now on the road from Los Angeles to that place for freight others have been ordered from Arizona to Los Angeles to load for Panamint Another Railroad Company has been organized to build a road from here to water The new road will strike the ocean about 8 miles below or south of Truxton Preparations are making for a grand mass meeting here on Saturday night in the interest of the Los Angeles and Independence Railroad

SAN JOSE, Dec. 9.—This evening a serious affray occurred at the Mint saloon between two men known as Missouri Brooks and Billy Fleming The row originated from an old feud Both of the men were seriously hacked about the head and face, but the doctors don't think the wounds are fatal They were separated by a man named Emmet Scott or it is believed they would both have been killed.

MERCED, Dec 9 —The excitement over the escape of Harry Grance, the murderer of Editor Madden, has not subsided in the least. Large crowds are still searching for the murderer, but up to 9 o'clock this evening no trace of him has been found. The fog which has been hanging over the valley for the past four days lifted about two hours this afternoon, but has again settled There remains little or no hope of his recapture until the fog lifts, or until he is driven by want to seek shelter in some farm house or small town, where capture will be certain

CHICO Dec. 9 —This morning, about 4 A. M a colored man named Hank Hiers, aged 45 years, suicided by blowing his brains out with a pistol. Cause unknown He leaves a wife and child

## NEVADA.

### Indian Butcheries.

PIOCHE Dec 9 —Yesterday evening W H Henderson, County Recorder, returned from a trip to Panamint He brings news of the horrible butchery by Indians of two white men, late citizens of Pioche, and the wounding of a third It appears that a week ago three young men Wm Honan Peter Dawson and Charles Olsen, left here for Panamint on foot The had reached Crescent Mills, about 15 miles beyond Hiko when they became footsore and somewhat less hopeful of making the trip and determined to return to Hiko valley and work among ranchers to earn the means to prosecute the contemplated journey They started to return to Hiko and Honan the only survivor, says they had reached a point seven miles from Hiko when they met 9 Indians members, it is supposed of Tom Piute Bill's band The Indians had a good many questions to ask Their style and actions caused Honan to suspect something wrong The Indians apparently wanted to lure them off the trail Honan started on at a rapid pace, urging his companions to come with him. They didn't appear to share his alarm, and fell slightly behind The Indians succeeded in separating the two hindmost men and then made the attack, shooting them with arrows Honan being further away they used a rifle wounding him in the shoulder Luckily the hurt did not disable him, so he continued his flight with all his remaining energy He had but little start of them, but kept it though the Indians followed him five miles He was successful in getting close to the settlements of Hiko valley and there his pursuers left him He made his way to a village, where he told the story. The whole settlement was at once in arms and parties were organized under Chas G Heath and Judge Wilson to search for the companions of Honan Honan described the place where the attack was made and there the body of Peter Dawson was found It was only to be recognized by some of his clothes his face having been smashed by rocks beyond all recognition with other frightful mutilations The body of Chas Olsen was not found till the next day The Indians had taken it down the wash some distance and buried it The same frightful mutilations were also seen on the corpse as had been inflicted on the remains of Dawson The bodies were taken to Hiko and decently buried The settlers of Hiko valley held a meeting and have sent out parties for the purpose of punishing the wretches who are guilty of so terrible a crime

## ARIZONA.

SAN DIEGO, Dec 9 —The *Union* has the following

TUCSON Dec 9 —In the District Court the jury in the case of the Territory vs Holmes, for the murder of Major M B Duffield, after being out all night and nearly all day yesterday returned a verdict of voluntary manslaughter

The court is now engaged in securing a jury for the case of the Territory vs More, for the murder of a Mexican at Desert Station in July last

We have rumors of another killing of Apaches in Tonto Basin but no particulars

YUMA Dec 9 —The District Court convened last Monday The Evans murder case will probably be called early in the term

The steamer *Cocopah* came up from the mouth of the river last night On her up trip a Mexican was badly injured by being jammed between the boat and one of the barges

## BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

### The Old Story.

OAKLAND Dec 9 —Charles Stephens, aged 12 years, son of E B Stephens, Clerk of this county, was shot and instantly killed this morning by the accidental discharge of a shot gun The deceased and an elder brother were scuffling for possession of the weapon, when it discharged taking effect in the stomach and tearing it in a terrible manner

## BRITISH COLUMBIA

### Change of Relationship

VICTORIA Dec 8 —The British *Colonist* of to day has the following special dated Ottawa December 5th

It has transpired here that the Colonial office has arranged to relax the terms of the union with British Columbia upon the basis laid down Mr Mackenzie,—the whole matter having been left unconditionally in the hands of Lord Carnarvon by the British Columbia delegate The local government will be compelled to either accept the new terms or resign The dispatch does not seem to have caused much uneasiness in political circles although the *Colonist* is the organ of the MacKenzie government

### Canadian Pacific Railway and Telegraph.

VICTORIA Dec 9 —Attorney General Walkem is on his way home from London and has telegraphed here that his mission has proved a success Work on the Canadian Pacific railroad will be commenced early in the spring All the surveys being nearly completed the Vancouver Island portion will first be built from Nanaimo to Esquimalt The Canadian Pacific telegraph line is under fair headway Mr Barnard the contractor will have completed the first section from Cache Creek to Kamloops in a few weeks

## WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

### Shooting Affray at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Dec 9 —Last evening quite a serious affray occurred at a house near the Snug saloon on Washington street James Good and Chas Wilson met and began quarreling After some words had passed Good drew a horse pistol and fired at Wilson the ball taking effect in his hip ranging downward, and passing through both legs While Good was being taken away by the police he drew a pistol and fired again Good was to day placed under $500 bonds to appear for trial Wilson will recover

## MEXICO.

SAN DIEGO Dec 9 —A letter from Ures Sonora Nov [illegible]th to the *Union* contains detailed accounts of Apache outrages in that State About the 1st November an old man was killed near Cuachereia and his wife taken captive by the savages In Bacadehuachi on the 3d the people were hourly expecting an attack from the Apaches The Prefect hearing of the situation sent a small force to their relief but only enough to act on the defensive and not enough to punish them In Hermosillo the report is that 300 Apache warriors are away from Chirichua and are probably in this state (Sonora). Mr A G Cavillas and Thomas McMahon were assassinated on the road from Hermosillo to Ures a short time since and robbed of $8 000

## GENERAL NOTES

John L. Staats, one of the oldest citizens of Albany, N Y died recently The house in which he was born and lived was erected in 1660

Miss Constance Mitchell, a younger sister of Maggie made her debut at the Opera House Albany, three weeks ago, in "Help," and is well spoken of

The newspaper publishers of Connecticut have adopted resolutions fixing the additional charge on subscriptions to cover postage, at ten cents a year for weeklies and sixty cents for dailies

Lulu the gymnast who made the wonderful bound at Niblo's Garden during last season, then dressed in female attire, has been frequently seen upon the streets of late in male attire, with his long blonde hair floating about his shoulders In company with Signor Farini he sailed for Europe during the week

There are more kid gloves sold in New York than in any city in the world The annual receipts at this port are about 250 000 dozens of what are called first class gloves Including an inferior article, the number reaches 800,000 dozens a year making $10 500 000 paid annually by American merchants for this one article One retail house in the city sells in a year from $350,000 to $400 000 worth of ladies kid gloves alone, making an average of over $1 000 in a day

The Pope has written a letter thanking Cardinal Cullen—who, it will be remembered, denounced "The Talisman" because it was written by an Irishman and had religious music in it—because he has condemned the address delivered by Prof Tyndall at Belfast Not content with Cullen's abuse of the unfortunate victim the Pope himself takes a hand in and calls him a "spiritual pirate, despoiling the souls of men" The good old gentleman of the Vatican ought not to get out of temper in this manner as it will probably be very easy for Tyndall to demonstrate in his next lecture that the Pope, despite his infallibility is a purely material institution, and that being matter what he says is no matter

## POLITICAL NOTES

A Washington correspondent thinks that instead of Gen Butler's running for Congress that body will be running for him in the way of investigation The General could probably ask for nothing he would enjoy more thoroughly

Gen Butler said the other day there were two supremely happy women in Essex county—Mrs Butler who rejoiced that her husband was to be kept out of Washington, and Mrs Thompson, who was delighted that her husband was going to Washington'

The London papers of the 5th comment generally on the result of the elections in the United States, and discuss the probable Democratic nominee for the Presidency in 1876 The *Daily Telegraph* considers the nomination of Mr Thurman as an almost foregone conclusion The general effect of the elections on the country is not discussed

Senator Chandler is now told by the Detroit *Tribune* that the time has come for the Republican party to get rid of him and assured that enough of the Republican members of the Legislature will refuse to participate in a caucus, and insist upon placing in his seat some one who represents the better tendencies of the party This from the *Tribune* is rather a strong symptom of dirty weather ahead—for Chandler

The election of Rev Julius H Seelye D D, to the House of Representatives recalls the fact that New England has heretofore sent some of her ablest clergymen to Congress Among them were John Broadhead Jared Perkins James Pike, from New Hampshire Edward Everett Mark Trafton and others, from Massachusetts They all proved themselves good practical legislators Prof Seelye's name has been recently mentioned in connection with the United States Senatorship

"Let the Democrats behave themselves and the future is secure" says the Cincinnati *Enquirer* the leading Democratic journal of the West

I ask you says Senator Gordon in Georgia, to his Democratic constituents, to commission me in your name in pledge, upon the floor of the Senate your fidelity to the Union under the Constitution' We resolve' say the Democrats of Selma in Alabama that the rights of all classes of men must be respected and preserved inviolate The party should lose no time "says the New York *Tribune* * * in planting themselves firmly upon the Baltimore platform of 1872 in relation to the rights of the negroes and all the constitutional amendments" No repudiation and no secession, cries the New York *Herald*

RUMORED RETIREMENT OF JUSTICE SWAYNE. Chicago December 1 —A Washington special to the *Inter Ocean* says it is understood by the friends of Justice Swayne that he contemplates retiring from the Bench of the Supreme Court in a few months when under the law of Congress he can retire on full pay If Justice Swayne concludes to retire this will give to General Grant another appointment on the Supreme Court Bench, making five in all since he has occupied the Executive office

Walla Walla has been indicted for allowing a nuisance to be erected and maintained in the city limits The case was pending in the District Court at that place last week

## OREGON PIONEER ASSOCIATION

BUTTEVILLE Dec 7 1874

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

In pursuance of public notice the executive officer and Board of Directors of the Oregon Pioneer Association convened at Aurora on the 3d inst, when the following proceedings were had

Article IX of the Constitution makes it the duty of the Directors to select the place of holding the annual meetings of the Association In the published call it had been stated they would accept the place on the O & C R R not further north than Portland nor south of Salem whose citizens would offer the Directors the most favorable terms for the accommodation of the Pioneers at their annual reunion June 15th 1875

Mr J Watt said he was authorized by Capt A P Ankeny, of Portland, to offer the Pioneers free of charge, his new Hall, situated over the Central Market the most commodious one in the State, with as much more hall room in the city as might be required in carrying forward their programme Also the City Park, two bands of music with such material assistance from the members and friends of the Association at Portland, as the Directors should deem proper or necessary for the occasion

Mr W J Herren was authorized by the State Agricultural Society to offer to the Pioneer Association for the accommodation of its approaching reunion, the Fair grounds buildings and other conveniences belonging to the same, free of charge The citizens of Salem would furnish a band of music and such material aid as the Directors might think necessary or proper to accept.

These very generous offers were deliberately canvassed and truly appreciated by those who were present But owing to the unsurpassed facilities which the Fair grounds offer for camping, including stabling, with hall room and other buildings it was thought quite sufficient for the occasion The vote resulted in the acceptance of the tender made to the Pioneer Association by the State Agricultural Society

The Constitution requires the members of the Executive Board to designate for each annual reunion a Chaplain Orators Chief Marshal and such subordinate officers as the exigencies of the occasion may require But at the meeting on the 3d inst the Executive Board extended an invitation to the Directors to participate in the important duty of selecting suitable persons to fill the above mentioned positions, which they accepted and the result is as follows

Rev Elkanah Walker Chaplain Hon Jesse Applegate to deliver the Annual Address, followed by Judge M P Deady and Hon J W Nesmith Col John McCraken, Chief Marshal his two Aides Cols T R Cornelius and W L White

Three members composing each of the following committees, were elected

Committee on Printing—Messrs E N Cooke, J B McClain and W H Rees

Committee to procure the painting of Pioneer Banner for the Association with appropriate devices and motto for the same—Messrs. Jos Watt, A P Ankeny and John Minto

Committee of Ways and Means also to make the necessary arrangements on the Fair grounds, procure banners by which the thirteen divisions of members may be known commencing with those who arrived in the Territory of Oregon prior to and during the year 1840 and down to Jan 1, 1853 inclusive—Messrs W J Herren, Jasper Matheny and J A Baker

Standard bearers—Messrs Joseph Holman, S W Moss, Sydney Smith and

The following resolution was passed

*Resolved* That the thanks of this meeting are hereby heartily tendered to the Hon A P Ankeny for the very generous offer which he was pleased to make through the Directors to the Pioneer Association should the Board designate Portland as the place of holding the Third Annual Reunion of Oregon Pioneers

After a very interesting and harmonious session the meeting at 2 30 P M adjourned to meet at Pavilion on Fair grounds Saturday, May 15 1875 W H REES Sec O P A.

## THE THIRD TERM STILL ALIVE

BAKER CITY Dec 2 1874

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

I desire to say a word about Grant and the third term Much has been said and written upon this subject and it seems to the writer that all that has been written and said has been of a personal nature attacking individuals and political rings and without a due consideration of the kind of a ruler or public pilot the nation requires at the present time The great republic is as yet in its infancy and needs strong hands at the helm physically as well as mentally, and your great Sumner peace-loving statesmen at the head will not meet the requirements of the times. Place our best and clearest-headed men at the head of the judiciary, and in all the civil Departments but the President should be a man used to the camp and tented field He who can control and manage a vast army of men in time of war ably and well surely must be capable, with the aid of his cool headed civilians of ruling a nation We have not yet arrived at the much desired epoch when the lion and the lamb shall lie down together, and until that times arrives the nation requires strong warlike army to guide it safely through the conflicts which are sure to come No Daniel Websters, or Henry Clays, with eloquent speech can save us amid the clash of battle Nought but the cool calculating educated generalship of such men as Gens Grant and Sherman ever saved our country in the late struggle and our perilous days are not passed Why then, should we discard our tried and trusted warriors? I say, let us have Grant or SHERMAN for our next leader We have not yet become a peaceful nation of shepherds, that we should seek the great men for our chosen heads Sir when we grow so weak and effeminate as to choose men for leaders who are unable to cope with the strong nations about us, we will fall as did ancient Rome before the warlike Goths and Vandals

Yours, E W REYNOLDS

A REMINISCENCE —As Fernando Wood of this city has aspirations for the Speakership of the next House of Representatives it may be just as well to recall the fact that during our great rebellion he was the individual who called upon Lord Lyons the British Ambassador, while in New York in order to obtain the assistance of England to secure the independence of the slave holding States It was really an atrocious treason but it commended him strongly to the favor of the Bourbon Democracy Mr Wood was also an unflinching and unrepentant advocate of the back pay grab, but that has not affected his reputation in the least with the Bourbon Democracy —*The Republic*

THURLOW WEED'S 77TH BIRTHDAY —Mr Thurlow Weed the veteran journalist the Warwick among politicians &c celebrated his seventy seventh birthday on Sunday last, at his residence No 10 West Twelfth street The occasion was a very pleasant one and among his numerous visitors were ex Mayor Opdyke Alderman Jenkins and Van Schaick, Postmaster James ex Collector Murphy and others Mr Weed bears his years bravely —*N Y Herald Nov 17*

HE WOULD DIE FIRST —Philadelphia Nov 1 —Dr W H Wevill, of No 1014 South Third street was shot by Christian Hansen at the latter's house Fourth and Canal streets, to day and badly wounded in the knee pan Dr Wevill states that Hansen was trying to compel him to sign a certificate as to the existence of illicit connections between himself and Mrs Hansen Hansen was arrested It is thought the shooting was the result of jealousy

## TAKE CARE OF THE FREEDMEN

LEE'S CHAPEL, East Portland Dec 9

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

On Sabbath evening Nov 30, at the above named place a meeting of our citizens was held when the wants and existing circumstances of the freedmen of the South, together with the hopeless probability of their being bettered, unless some door of emigration for their escape to some more humane realm of the United States than the further South enslavedom has ever been, was discussed On that occasion the propriety of opening up a door of hope west of the Rocky Mountains to these despairing freedmen (who, through the tyranny of their oppressors are almost or quite asking for their former chains) where they may enjoy the inestimable boon of liberty purchased for them by the blood of multiplied thousands of our brave sons of freedom on the field of battle, and at an expense to the Government of more than two billions of dollars, was also freely argued The propriety of discontinuing Chinese labor in favor of freedmen and families brought to this country and settled among us was very favorably received It was agreed, however that the matter should be a subject of consideration for the coming week The meeting was then adjourned to convene on the next Sabbath evening at half past 6 o'clock Dec 6 1874 at half past 6, the meeting opened according to adjournment, in increased numbers and interest The services were opened by prayer and subsequently there was a free discussion and expression of opinion which resulted in a motion to appoint a committee to prepare for publication in the two daily papers of Portland, the substance of the arguments used on both occasions, favoring the measures suggested for the benefit of the freedmen Said committee was composed of Clinton Kelly and J W Kern A synopsis of the arguments of both meetings, the committee hereby send for publication together with such considerations as may properly grow out of the deliberations had on these occasions

1 If the P, D & S I R R be chartered (and we hope it will) by Congress we unhesitatingly affirm that justice humanity and correct statesmanship, will give employment to freedmen on that road in preference to China men To do so will make it an easy matter to introduce the immigration to this coast of these freedmen and families

2 It is a well established fact no longer a matter of controversy, that since our mines have ceased to issue specie payments so as to keep up our coffers at home for the good of all citizenship on this coast this must be done, or we are financially crippled so long as the Chinese carry away 90 cents on the dollar of all their earnings never to return and support themselves on their own products and manufactures

3 It is our privilege and our duty to our country, to humanity and to God to invite these outraged, downtrodden Freedmen to the western slope of the North American continent where there is abundant room, favorable climate, and suitable business for this unfortunate people, and greatly to the advantage of the white population over that of Chinese labor, which is only hired service without probability of ever issuing in permanent citizenship

4 We do not mean that even a large portion of the four millions of Freedmen should be brought to this coast but we do mean that for the good of all concerned we should encourage a sufficient number to come to our coast to abundantly supercede the necessity of Chinese labor for in so doing it will better the condition of the African race in the late slaveholding States The white people there cannot do without (as they well realize) the colored people. And we believe they are laboring under the impression that there is not a State or Territory that will invite their citizenship on any large scale Correct that mistake on a noble basis and you better the condition of the whole mass of the colored people of the South and at the same time deliver our nation from the greatest peril but one through which she has ever passed

Congress has met to day and who doubts that the most perplexing question to be agitated by that body will be What shall be done with the two races in the Southern country? Realizing that our community is a very small integral part of this favored commonwealth and prompted by a sense of duty, we have done what we have done and said what we have said, hoping that the good people throughout the State will aid in furthering this humane object, and that some action will be taken immediately And we pray you the good citizens of Portland, to give earnest heed to these matters and if in your wisdom you see proper to take action, do so as speedily as possible and set this matter in motion And let no politician think there is a trap in it.

CLINTON KELLY
J W KERN

REVERDY JOHNSON AND WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT —Hon Reverdy Johnson of Maryland sent an interesting letter to the venerable poet and editor, William Cullen Bryant on the recent occasion of Mr Bryant's eightieth birthday anniversary After expressing due appreciation of Mr Bryant's poems and the excellence of his journal the New York *Evening Post*, Mr Johnson says

"I rejoice to know that your mind retains all its vigor and your physical health is unimpaired I am your junior only by a year and a half and Providence has been so kind to me also as to leave my faculties as good as ever and my senses the same as of yore except that my sight is greatly eclipsed Notwithstanding this infliction however, I actively prosecute my profession as heretofore, and render to the public all the aid that I can by counseling those around me to be good citizens and to cherish the union of the States upon which alone depends the prosperity and the power of the nation"

RESULT OF RECONSTRUCTION IN ARKANSAS —An old fellow came into the rooms of the Congressional Committee in Little Rock Arkansas to inform Judge Poland and Mr Ward that since reconstruction in 1868 there had been sixteen Governors of Arkansas and complained that it wasn't safe for a man to live there that he himself was rather slow in his mental operations and scarcely got his mind made up to support one Governor when they sprung another on him, and made him liable to arrest for treason He said every time he came to town he asked men at the outskirts who was Governor on that particular day lest he might make a mistake in hurrahing for the unpopular one After relieving his mind of a little more dry humor he left, but presently returned asking permission to make a correction in his statement It was seventeen Governors he said, instead of sixteen—he had remembered another one while he was going down stairs

THE N Y HERALD'S CENTRAL PARK HOAX —Among the readers of the article but not of the explanation was Mr Henry A Martin of Plainfield New Jersey When he reached a passage which narrated how an infuriated tiger sprang into an open carriage and devoured two or three children he burst into tears and shortly after complained of a severe pain in the region of the heart In a few hours he was a corpse

SLANDER SUIT —New York Dec 2 —Proceedings have been instituted against Rev Dr Talmage of Brooklyn by B C Mitchell, on a charge of a slander Mitchell was for a number of years a prominent member of Talmage's church and was expelled on the testimony of the pastor who charged him with conduct unbecoming a Christian The damages are laid at $5,000

NEW HAMPSHIRE POLITICS —Concord (N H ) Dec 1 —The Republican State Committee to day determined to hold a State Convention, January 12th, or later than that of the Democrats Governor Hutchings spoke urging the nomination of the strongest man for Governor, and relieving the party from renominating him

## OREGON

It is probable that two schooners will be built at North Bend next season.

Mr Crouch expects to have his foundry in operation by the first of January

The *Cordelia* has arrived in the Coquille river with the machinery for the black sand mines

His Excellency Governor Grover re appointed Charles Ruch of Aurora, as Notary Public yesterday

Our correspondent at Baker City says the weather there is exceedingly mild and pleasant for December

The Rosedale dramatic company appeared at Empire City on Monday and Tuesday evenings, to good houses

The hill back of the lower part of Marshfield Coos county is now dotted with little cottages which surrounded with neat little gardens, give an air of picturesque beauty to that section.

Marshfield in Coos county, voted for city officers under the new incorporation act, on Tuesday last We have not heard the result, but presume she went Democratic as pretty much everything goes that way this bad weather

Mr Sampson Jones informs the Record that the members of Round Prairie Grange, No 106 located at Brooks Station, celebrated last Friday the seventh anniversary of the foundation of the order, in a suitable manner The attendance was large, and a royal good dinner was laid and enjoyed by those present

Many trees were blown down by the late storm on Coos bay and the trail for a while was difficult to pass Even now it is far from being easy or pleasant. A house was blown down at Eastport while in course of erection, the loss falling partly on Mr Stauf, the builder and part on the Eastport Coal Co, for whom the building was intended for a boarding house.

At a meeting of the members of Chehalpum Grange No 68, held at Jefferson, Dec. 5th, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year Master Jesse Parrish, Overseer, Chas Miller Lecturer Geo. W Johnson Chaplain, James Anderson Treasurer, J W Pate Secretary W W Steiwer, Steward, W A. Johnson Assistant Steward, Jesse W Looney Gate-keeper, F H Bellinger, Ceres Miss Maggie Cosper Pomona, Miss Evaline Miller Flora Miss Angeline Doty, Lady Assistant Steward, Mrs Mary Looney

On the 2d inst W R Dunbar G W C T organized Lake Lodge I O G T, at Linkville in the Klamath Basin with a good membership, officers were chosen and installed as follows Hon W P Small W C T Mary F Poe R. H S Anna Walker, L H S, Orpha Cranston, W V T, Hon Geo Canon W S Ella Cranston, W A S Wm Forsyth, W F S Ellen Forsyth, W T, Nelson Stephenson W C Edward Penniry, W M, James Markley, W D M, J M Poe, W I G Dennis Small W O G, J K Miller P W C T Capt O C Applegate is Lodge Deputy

## THE TERRITORIES.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* has completed its XIIIth volume

The *Courier* tells of about a thousand things that Olympia wants. The first is money

An Idahoan says "Most of the politicians in Alturas county are owned in [illegible] City" That's terse.

A Walla Walla paper thinks that, by reason of expected reductions on freights, the farmers of that section will be able to [illegible] more per bushel for their wheat next year than heretofore.

The Port Townsend *Argus* publishes a report to the effect that a settler on Protection Island, named Walter H Crapley, while on his way to that city, Tuesday, Dec. 1st, was drowned. It is conjectured that his boat was swamped in in one of the numerous tide-rips of that part of the Straits. The remains of a man supposed to be Mr Crapley, were found on the northeast side of Protection Island.

The *Spirit of the West* says a countryman with a load of produce at Walla Walla could obtain no more than thirty cents a bushel for wheat and nothing for other products, so he went, disgusted, to a saloon, got on a spree, and let the cattle loose in the streets eat up his load of produce. How much better off was he for that than he would have been had he taken thirty cents for his grain and given the balance to the poor?

On New Year's Eve Dec 31st 1874 a grand ball will be given in New Tacoma, for the benefit of the school building fund The most elaborate preparations are being made to insure the success of this affair, as regards attendance and the enjoyment of the participants As the proceeds are to be devoted to a praiseworthy object, it is hoped they may be large For this occasion the railroad will convey passengers from Kalama and intermediate points at half the regular rates

A correspondent of the Walla Walla *Spirit*, writing from Lake Chelan, on the headwaters of the Columbia, notes the effect of recent earthquakes in that section upon the atmosphere and health of the Indians, and says "Sulphurous fumes from the fissures made in the earth impregnated the whole air. Accompanying these was a peculiar metallic taste, which appeared to fasten itself upon the breathing apparatus leaving a choking sensation and so affecting children as to cause the tonsils to swell, and with smaller ones death ensued in every instance An old Indian said Not one child was left under two years of age between the mouth of the Methow and the Wenatchie river" Thus to the dread of trembling earth was added this dire effect. Two years have elapsed since the commencement of these convulsions, and from that time not a month has passed but what this lake has thrown up its columns of water and the mountain groaned to greater or less extent

## MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT MACMAHON

PARIS, December 3d

President MacMahon's message to the Assembly this afternoon congratulates the country on its prosperity, increased agricultural products and commerce the bright prospect for the coming year and a credit of better standing among foreign nations. The President insists strongly on the necessity of definite legislation with regard to constitutional powers and continues as follows "Incessantly agitated by a propaganda of most pernicious doctrines the country [illegible] you to guarantee by measures of wise foresight the regular action of the public powers during the period of stability which you promised France You will examine these grave questions and an understanding, I hope will be arrived at. I shall not decline any share of responsibility, nor will the intervention of my Government be wanting I wish to state how I understand my duties toward the Assembly and country I did not accept power to serve any party—I only pursue the work of social defense and national restoration It is my ardent desire to have the support and the good will of those whose personal preference bows before present necessities and the sacred cause of the country. I claim their support in the name of France, whose welfare and greatness I have alone in view Nothing will discourage me in the accomplishment of the task It is my duty not to desert the post in which you have placed me—to occupy it up to the last day with unbroken firmness and scrupulous respect for law"

THE RELIGIOUS CONTROVERSY IN ENGLAND —There are indications everywhere of an impending upheaval of primitive rocks which will vastly change the surface of religious belief among us which will level its mountains raise its valleys and divert the present course of its streams —*London Times*

ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE —Springfield, Ill, Nov 25 —The Legislature stands Senate—twenty four Republicans, to twenty two Democrats and five reform House sixty nine Republicans to fifty-seven Democrats and twenty seven reform

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**The Daily Oregonian.**

THURSDAY MORNING, DEC. 10, 1874.

## *AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PRESIDENTIAL SALARY GRAB.*

Senator Wright, of Iowa, has introduced a bill to reduce the salary of the President of the United States to the old standard—$25,000 a year. Under the constitution the President's salary cannot be reduced during his term of office, and the proposed law therefore cannot be made to take effect till after the expiration of the present term which will be on the 3d of March, 1877. The bill should by all means become a law. Twenty-five thousand dollars, with the perquisites and allowances granted to the President, is ample. He has no expenses but those of his table. His furniture, fuel, lights, servants, horses, carriage, everything but the food on his table, he has at the public charge. It is true the expenses of his table are considerable, but they are not by any means so great as many suppose. One state dinner is expected of him, and a half dozen smaller entertainments during the year are usual. Lincoln saved out of his salary $10,000 a year, and other Presidents saved an equal amount. And yet the nation has never suffered in reputation from the want of style and [illegible] at the White House. The elegance and grace with which the Presidential household was conducted during the administration of James K. Polk were frequently remarked at the time and have ever since been pointed to with pride by those who can appreciate the difference between the simple purity of taste that distinguish the executive mansion of a republic, and the [illegible] and glitter of a royal palace.

When President Grant was elected, and through his first administration, he received only the old traditional $25,000 a year, and we never heard of his disgracing the country by having to pass round the hat for funds to pay his grocery bills. But the same act that increased the pay of S[illegible] and Congressmen, commonly known as the "Salary Grab," gave him an additional $25,000. That act was repealed last winter, so far as related to Senators and Congressmen, but the constitutional limitation of power prevented its being repealed as to the President. The next best thing to an immediate repeal, and the best thing that can be done under the circumstances, is to pass a bill as proposed by Senator Wright, cutting off the extra $25,000 after the expiration of the present official term of the President.

## *AN IMMENSE SCHEME OF INLAND NAVIGATION.*

Some years ago a project was brought forward, and for a time elicited considerable interest, to connect the Red river of the North and the Minnesota river, by a canal, and thus open a continuous inland channel of navigation from the mouth of the [illegible] through Big Stone Lake and [illegible] Traverse into the Saskatchewan, Nelson river and Hudson's bay. This magnificent scheme, it was said, could be [illegible] money astonishingly small considering the magnitude of the [illegible] to be attained. The Saskatchewan and Hudson bay system of rivers once reached, the navigator would be in as vast a chain of [illegible] as that of the Mississippi, extending in various directions through all the country from the northern extension of the Rocky Mountains to Hudson bay.

The death of J. R. Brown who was a [illegible] advocate of the project, and made in person an examination of the routes for the canals necessary, put a period to the agitation. But it was not entirely given up, and of late is coming into notice again. It is claimed in behalf of the enterprise, that for a trifling sum, the immense valley of the Saskatchewan 1,200 miles in length, and one of the finest agricultural districts in the world could be brought into quick and cheap communication with the principal agricultural States of our own country. The project, at the first blush, strikes the mind as a stupendous flight of imagination rather than a practicable undertaking; but those who [illegible] it entirely feasible. The spanning of the continent with telegraphs and railways, which [illegible] equally as visionary a few years ago, having already become accomplished facts, it may be that the connecting of the waters so as to form a network of inland navigation over all the habitable part of the continent is the next wonder of American enterprise.

## *THE CHRISTIAN-BURIAL CASE.*

There was lately published in these columns a report of a decision of the Privy Council of Canada denying the right of the Church to exclude from interment in consecrated ground the body of one Gibard. It appears the matter has caused a sensation. On Sunday, November 22, the subject was referred to in Notre Dame Cathedral, Montreal, the cure expressing great [illegible] at the judgment. He appeared to be uncertain whether the judgment went so far as to entitle persons situated as the deceased had been, to have ecclesiastical ceremonies performed at the burial, but he inclined to the opinion that such was not the intent of the decision. He did not state specifically how it would be possible to make the horse drink after leading him up to the trough. If he had, the point to his anxiety on the question of how far the decision went, would be quite apparent. It is stated that the Bishop of the diocese meditates an appeal to the House of Lords, on the ground that the right to say who should and who should not be buried in consecrated ground is one of the immemorial rights of the Church which were expressly reserved in the treaty ceding Canada from France to England. It is a very interesting case.

The St. Paul *Press*, one of the straightest of Republican papers outside the organs supported by the Government at Washington, treats the pretensions of Volney Smith to the Governorship of Arkansas as a matter worthy only of ridicule. It calls Volney the "putative Governor of Arkansas," and commends his discretion in keeping out of sight while he is working up his case.

It is really refreshing to see that there is one paper of unquestioned standing in the Republican party, that will speak out against this shameless attempt at usurpation. The accredited organs of the party in general either observe a [illegible] silence on the subject, or offer indirect and feeble apologies for the conspirators. Nothing is lost, in the end, by an open and fearless condemnation of all such transactions, and that without stopping to inquire what are the political affiliations of those engaged in them.

The verdict of the Presbytery in the case of Rev. John S. Glendenning follows the precedent made by the Beecher-Tilton investigating committee, declaring the accused not guilty of the charge and specifications upon which he was put upon his trial but guilty of conduct unbecoming a pastor.

### CHEAP TRANSPORTATION CONVENTION.

RICHMOND, Dec. 2.—The Cheap Transportation Convention is in session here. Among the other resolutions offered to-day was one by Col. W. W. Johnstone, of North Carolina, recommending that Congress extend to the Texas Pacific railroad such aid as will insure its speedy completion. General Rosser, of Minnesota, offered a resolution that the Convention memorialize Congress to prohibit, under heavy penalties, all combinations between competing lines of transportation, either by land or water, and the inflating of capital by watered stock. Also to create a Court of Commercial Justice, whose decision shall be submitted to the review of the Supreme Court of the United States. C. S. Clarke, of Illinois, offered a resolution declaring that it is the sense of the Convention that Congress should fix by law a maximum tariff for all railroad traffic crossing a State line. Gen. Pratt, of Iowa, offered a resolution stating that railroads are public highways, and those who manage them are public servants, whose pay should be regulated by law; also, that the sentiment of the Convention was adverse to an increase of taxation on the people in the shape of interest created by an increased bonded debt. Col. Williamson offered a resolution stating that the Convention recommends to Congress the adoption of a national railroad gauge of four feet eight and one-half inches, and that Congress [illegible] inducements for all trunk lines of twenty miles and over to adopt that.

At the evening session the Committee on Resolutions reported unfavorably on all the above resolutions except that in reference to Congressional aid to the Texas Pacific road.

The report of the Committee was made the special order for to-morrow morning.

RICHMOND, Dec. 2.—In the Transportation Convention to-day, the Committee on Resolutions presented their report, based upon the resolution of Col. Johnson, of North Carolina, in which they declare in favor of asking Government aid in the construction of the Southern Pacific Railroad, and of great water lines: such aid as to convey the right of Government to control the rates of transportation. Four members protested against the adoption of the report, and the subject was discussed. One of the most important questions connected with the [illegible] of the [illegible] was that of Government subsidies to railroads and other lines of transportation. Pending the motion to substitute the minority report for that of the majority, the question of Government subsidies was discussed. Col. Johnson, by permission, withdrew his resolution.

After the discussion of minor points the Convention adjourned till to-morrow. Chicago was chosen as the next place of meeting.

### ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The Attorney-General's annual report shows that there were judgments during the fiscal year on suits in favor of the United States of $2,921,824; the amount actually realized was $837,792. Of criminal cases, 6,018 were terminated, including 2,623 convictions, of which 102 out of 966 were under the enforcement acts. Total suits to which the United States was a party, 19,194; of which 11,100 were terminated, the judgments being to amount of $16,508,624. The expenses of Marshals, Commissioners, etc., for the year were $2,016,730, or $361,138 less than the previous year. The amount awarded by the Court of Claims was $2,418,804, against total [illegible] of $4,054,366. The Attorney-General [illegible] that the United States District Court be given authority to issue subpenas directing attendance before the Court of Claims, and that the latter be given power to punish for contempt any failure to obey; that the heads of departments be given authority for use in the court of the rebel records in possession of the Government; that the police force of the District of Columbia be increased; that all the District Attorneys and Marshals be paid by salary only, fees being abolished; that a penitentiary be erected in the District of Columbia for the confinement of convicts, instead of in that at Alleghany; that a uniform mode be provided for the selection of jurors for the courts, and the enactment of a law regulating fees and costs of the Clerks, Marshals and attorneys of United States courts.

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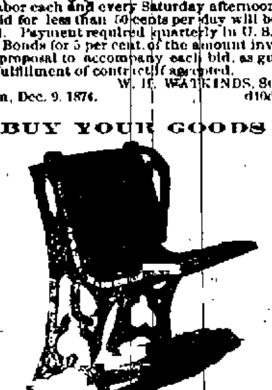

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT —District of Oregon. Notice in Bankruptcy. In the matter of C. B. COMSTOCK, Bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said C. B. Comstock duly declared bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and liabilities and other claims provable under said act, and that the thirty-first day of December 1874, is assigned for the hearing of the same before H. H. Northup, Esq. Register in Bankruptcy, at his office in Portland, in said District, when and where any person may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. H. WILCOX,
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San Juan County, W. T.

NOTICE.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE UNCERTAINTY OF THE weather, and the irregularity of Steamboat communication between Port Townsend and San Juan Island, the Public Sale advertised to take place on the 21st of December next is postponed until Spring, when the property remaining unsold will be advertised.

San Juan Island, Nov. 30, A. D. 1874.
E. D. WARBASS,
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Executors of A. Hoffmeister's Estate.
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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERship heretofore existing between T. V. Shoup and W. S. Newbury under the style and name of SHOUP & NEWBURY, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
T. V. SHOUP,
W. S. NEWBURY.
Portland, Oregon, Nov. 21, 1874.

W. S. NEWBURY will continue the business and in the practice of his Profession as Attorney and Counselor at Law, at the old office of the late firm of Shoup & Newbury, First street, second door south of Ladd & Tilton's Bank, Portland. d4d6t

OFFICE OF THE
Oregon Steam Ship Company,
PORTLAND, Dec. 1, 1874.
AFTER THIS DATE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE the rate on up Freight by the Boats of this Company between Portland and Corvallis and intermediate points will be
ONE DOLLAR PER TON.
J. D. BILES, Agent.

R. DINSMORE, Broker,
72 First Street.
Money loaned on real estate and personal security. Legal Tenders bought and sold. GOLD DUST BOUGHT. Interest allowed on time deposits of coin. Exchange on S. F.   d1d3m

J. B. ROBERTS,
GENERAL BROKER,
98 First Street.
Money Loaned on approved security. Notes discounted. Currency and Gold Dust bought and sold.   d1d1m

STRAYED.
ON THANKSGIVING DAY, A SMALL BLACK MARE. The finder will be rewarded on giving information of her whereabouts to this office.

FOR SALE,
A SMALL STEAM ENGINE AND BOILER, IN good order. Enquire at SMITH BROS.' Foundry, First street.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

Christmas is Coming
AND
HENRICHSEN IS HERE!
Having just returned from San Francisco with an assortment of Goods in my line second to none this side of S. F. as regards selection and size, I invite the citizens of Portland, and all others to call and examine the large variety of DIAMOND, CAMEO, TURQUOISE, TOPAZ, ONYX, AMETHYST, and the very latest styles of ENAMELED GOLD JEWELRY in Sets, Buttons, Bracelets, Finger Rings, etc., etc.
Attention is also called to the splendid assortment of GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, of Foreign and Domestic Manufacture. SOLID SILVER and PLATED WARE of the most celebrated Manufactories of the United States, in endless variety, and everything that can be found in any First Class Jewelry Establishment.
A MANUFACTORY, (the only one in Portland,) is attached to the Store, where any article can be made or repaired without sending to San Francisco.
L. C. HENRICHSEN,
No. 109 First Street.

B. L. STONE,
JEWELER,
Would respectfully invite the attention of the public to his Large and Elegant assortment of DIAMONDS, WATCHES, FINE JEWELRY, Solid SILVER WARE, etc., etc.
By selecting my goods in person I can offer to my customers the Newest Styles and choicest articles.
Arrangements have been made with the San Francisco and Eastern Manufacturers to supply me with all the latest productions in Fine Jewelry, Watches, Silverware, Antique Clocks, and all goods in my line by every steamer, and my facilities for purchasing enable me to offer to my customers at retail Goods as cheap as they can be bought at wholesale by other Jewelers, with large inducements to dealers.
I keep no plated Jewelry of any description—every article is warranted to be just as represented, and I have but ONE PRICE for all goods.
Watches and Jewelry made to order, and Repairing promptly attended to by skillful workmen.
Agents for SETH THOMAS' CLOCKS; World-renowned DIAMOND SPECTACLES. These Spectacles are manufactured with great care, ground with the utmost accuracy, and scientifically adjusted to the eye and can be used equally well by artificial or day light.
B. L. STONE,
103 Front St., bet. Alder and Morrison,
Portland, Oregon

FOR THE HOLIDAYS!
JOHN B. MILLER,
Watchmaker and Jeweler,
HAS JUST RETURNED FROM SAN FRANCISco with a large and well selected Stock of
WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY
SILVER AND PLATED WARE,
Suitable for Holiday Presents, consisting of
Fine Stem and Key Winding Watches of the most Celebrated makers of Europe.
Also, American Watches of E. Howard & Co., Elgin, Waltham, New York, and Springfield Watch Factories. Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware.
Sole Agent for the Celebrated Stem Winding Roskoff Watch, which for cheapness and durability cannot be excelled by any maker in this world.
Watches, Chronometers and Jewelry repaired and warranted.
n24d1m   J. B. MILLER.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW GOODS!
J. FLEISHNER.
Has relocated at his old stand, 137 First Street, and has opened an
ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF
BOOTS & SHOES!
Selected personally during a recent visit to San Francisco.
PRICES THE LOWEST!
Call and be Convinced.

THE HOLIDAYS!
FIRST IN THE FIELD!
SCHMEER BROS.
65 First Street,
HAVE OPENED THEIR STOCK OF
Holiday Confectioneries
THE VARIETY OF FRENCH AND AMERICAN
CANDIES, TOYS, ETC.,
is entirely new, large and complete.
Wholesale orders from the country solicited. Prices marked down.
Suppers prepared for Balls and Parties on short notice.
Call before purchasing elsewhere.   n21d1m

NEW YORK MARKET.
CHAS. A. MALARKEY,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Fish, Poultry, Game & Oysters,
SECOND STREET,
(One door North of Washington.)
PUGET SOUND FISH 5 cents per pound—wholesale.
Just received, a large stock of
TURKEYS, GEESE, ETC.,
For the Holiday Trade.
Prices within the reach of all.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.
THE OWNERS OF THE "PACIFIC WHARF and Warehouse," located at the foot of Salmon street in this city, announce to the public that they are now ready to receive Produce and Merchandise on storage, at low rates.
The wharf affords excellent accommodation for discharging and loading ocean vessels of the largest class. Wharfage rates reasonable.
Liberal cash advances will be made on grain stored in large quantities in the warehouse. Warehouse receipts will be given.
For particulars apply to   CHARLES HOLMAN.
Portland, Oregon, Nov. 30, 1874.   n30 1m

RAGS, BOTTLES, JUNK.
HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR THE ABOVE. 2,500 grain sacks for sale at Kafka's Junk Store, corner of Oak and Front streets.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.
CARRYING U. S. MAILS.
THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO.'S Steamer
AJAX,
FRED. BOLLES........................Commander,
Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at Foot of F street, for the above port,
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1874,
At 12 o'clock M.
For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner F and Front streets.
GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, SAN JUAN, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGEL and SITKA.
CARRYING U. S. MAILS.
THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO.'S Steam Propeller
GUSSIE TELFAIR,
JOHN HAYES........................Commander,
Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, at foot of F street, for the above ports,
SATURDAY, DEC. 26, 1874,
At 4 o'clock P. M.,
For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner of F and Front streets.
GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

From Coos Bay & San Francisco
REGULAR STEAMSHIP LINE.
THE FAVORITE STEAMERS
EASTPORT,
J. F. WHITNEY........................Master,
EMPIRE,
C. H. BUTLER,........................Master.
Make regular trips. Stages from Roseburg connecting with Steamers at Coos Bay.
F. SCHETTER, Agent, Coos Bay; D. BEADLE, Agent, San Francisco. 106 Davis street, near California.   oc6d&m

RIVER STEAMERS.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s
PASSENGER SCHEDULE.
[illegible] PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.
FOR WALLULA—Monday, and Friday at 5 A. M.
FOR ASTORIA—Daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 A.M.
FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A. M.
FOR VICTORIA—Thursday and [illegible]day at 6 A. M.   S. G. REED, Vice Pr[illegible]

Oregon Steamship Company's
STEAMBOATS.
Notice.
FROM AND AFTER MONDAY, [illegible] 23d, the [illegible]
E. N. COOKE
Will leave OREGON CITY every day (Sunday excepted) at 7:30 A. M. for Portland; [illegible] will leave Portland for Oregon City at 2:30 P. M.
Pa[illegible] for DAYTON and all [illegible] places will take CARS at 7:30 A. M., [illegible] at Can[illegible] with the [illegible] DAYTON on Monday, Wednesday and Friday [illegible] City with the O. & C.R.R. Co. at 2 P. M. on Tuesday, Thursday and [illegible]day for Portl[illegible]
THROUGH Tickets sold at the Office of the O. & C. R. R. Co., at [illegible]
All Freight by this line [illegible] FREE OF DRAYAGE.
Freight received until 5 P. M.
J. D. BILES, Agent.

The Willamette River Transportation Co.'s Steamers
Will leave the Central Wharf between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:
Steamer "GOV. GROVER" for Corvallis, on Monday and Thursday, at 6 A. M.
Steamer "WILLAMETTE CHIEF" for Albany, on Tuesday and Friday at 6 A. M.
Steamer "SHOSHONE" for Points on the Yamhill River, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 8 A. M.
Steamer "BEAVER" for Astoria, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 6 A. M.
Lightering and Towing of Vessels between Portland and Astoria at REDUCED RATES.
FRANK T. DODGE, Agent.

OHIO!
INDEPENDENT LINE!
THE LIGHT DRAFT STEAMER,
OHIO,
Leaves the Wharf foot of Alder street, Portland, for Salem, Albany, Corvallis, and all intermediate points, on Mondays and Thursdays of each week. Leaves Corvallis on return Wednesdays and Saturdays, until further notice. No delays on account of low water. Rates of freight reasonable. For any further information apply on board, or to G. L. Lindsley, Agent, on the wharf.
n21tf   U. B. SCOTT, Master.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.
THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,
JAS. W. TROUP, Master.
WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM WASHINGTON Street Wharf, for Vancouver, at 2:30 P. M. Returning, leave Vancouver at 8 A. M.
For freight or passage apply on board.

RUMMELIN & GUTMANN,
56 First street, between Stark and Oak,
Manufacturers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FURS,
Offer this Season a very Large and Superior stock of
Ladies', Misses' and Gentlemen's Furs,
AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
Dealers Supplied at Reduced Rates.
Orders and repairing promptly attended to.

REMOVAL.
T. DITTENHOEFER,
Dealer in
TOBACCO, CIGARS & YANKEE NOTIONS,
And a full
Stock of Toys for the Holidays,
HAS REMOVED TO
No. 37, Cor. Front and Pine Streets.

SALT WATER FISH.
Five Cents Per Pound
1,000 LBS. OF ALL KINDS OF FISH RECEIVed daily from Puget Sound, which will be sold to Dealers and Hotels at the above price.
Orders from the country promptly attended to.
ZEKE & CO., Agents,
n21h1m   120 First street

AUCTION [illegible]
A. B. [illegible]
AUCTION[illegible]
COR. OF [illegible]
Auction [illegible]
OF REAL ESTATE, [illegible]
Sale Days—W[illegible]
[illegible]
To parties [illegible] that I will [illegible]
Regular and [illegible]
[illegible]
GROCERIES [illegible]
[illegible]
I will sell at my [illegible]
SATURDAY, [illegible]
Lots One (1) and [illegible] Addition to the City [illegible]
Parlor, B[illegible]
200 bxs [illegible]
250 bxs [illegible]
150 bxs [illegible]
10 bbls [illegible]
10 bbls [illegible]
A. B. R[illegible]

Fireman's F[illegible]
OF [illegible]
FIRE A[illegible]
Assets [illegible]

Mutual [illegible]
OF [illegible]
Life and [illegible]
[illegible]
DIRECT[illegible]
PORTLAND [illegible]

Investment [illegible]
OF [illegible]
FIRE A[illegible]
INCOR[illegible]
Cash Assets,
FRANK DONAHUE, [illegible]
CHAS [illegible]
This Company [illegible]
N. B.—Agents wanted [illegible] Territory.

[illegible]
Capital, [illegible]
Assets, exceed[illegible]
BRANCH OFFI[illegible]
First N[illegible] Bank [illegible]
my1tf

J. GILLESPIE,
M. ZAN,
San Franc[illegible]
ZAN BRO[illegible]
Brooms, Wood[illegible]
They are [illegible]
A Large and [illegible]
Of every variety [illegible]

C. W. [illegible]
Books, Station[illegible]
Picture Fr[illegible]
No. 84 [illegible]
Pictures framed. [illegible]

LOU[illegible]
PRACTICAL [illegible]
And Manu[illegible]
Mathematical & Tele[illegible]
No. 60 F[illegible]

[illegible]
Is now ready and for sale by [illegible]
D. F. HARRINGTON, [illegible]

PART[illegible]
IN THE JEFFERSON [illegible] at Jefferson, Marion [illegible] address the und[illegible] Jefferson, Nov. 21, 1874.

THE NAMES FOR [illegible] rectory having [illegible] changes or removals [illegible] census for the work [illegible] J. McCormick, 19 First [illegible] ner Front and Alder.

CITY.

[illegible]—To-day the steamer *Ajax* [illegible] San Francisco at 12 o'clock. She [illegible] the following passengers: [illegible] L. Beebe, Mrs. E. A. [illegible] A. Adams, [illegible] Ida Fi[illegible] Miss M. [illegible] A. A. W[illegible] Montgomery [illegible] J. Jacobs[illegible] J. Hillop [illegible]

[illegible] IDAHO.—Mr. John Holland [illegible] to the city on Tuesday [illegible] where he [illegible]

[illegible] Fast Race.—The [illegible] the *Teaser* [illegible]

Fast Time.—The tug [illegible] yesterday morning [illegible] up without any tow. The tug [illegible] entire distance [illegible]

For the Upper Willamette.—[illegible] Capt. P[illegible] is lying at the boneyard [illegible] of the [illegible] painters [illegible] on the Upper Willamette [illegible] with the O. [illegible]

[illegible] Work Shops.—Mr. Steffen, [illegible] the contract for building the new [illegible] for the O. S. N. Co., is now engaged [illegible] the workmen. He is allowed 60 days for completion of the contract from the [illegible] commences [illegible]

Gone Down.—This morning the bark [illegible] will be towed down the river by [illegible] *Holladay*. Having undergone a thorough [illegible] sailing, this bark is in every [illegible] to perform the voyage which [illegible] accomplished. The *Jones* will take on [illegible] at St. Helens a cargo of spars, lumber, [illegible] for China. She will be ready to sail in [illegible] a few weeks.

In Blossom.—A novelty at this season [illegible] is to see a cherry tree in bl[illegible] Fred attached to the dwelling of Mr. [illegible] [illegible] is a young cherry tree which [illegible] has [illegible] bore fruit [illegible] several days. The [illegible] last spring.

AUCTION AND CO[illegible]

**A. B. RICHARDSON,**

# AUCTIONEER

COR. OF FRONT AND OAK [illegible]

Auction Sales
OF REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES, GENERAL [illegible] CHANDISE AND HORSES.

Sale Days—Wednesday and [illegible]

At Private Sale.
[illegible] of GROCERIES and [illegible]
Liberal advances made on [illegible]
To parties declining Housek[illegible]
that I will purchase Second-H[illegible]
A. B. RICHARDSON [illegible]

**Regular and Peremptory [illegible]**
OF
REAL ESTATE,
GROCERIES, FURNITURE
AND
GENERAL MERCHAND[illegible]

I will sell at my Auction [illegible]

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, [illegible]
At 10 o'clock A. M.,
REAL ESTATE,
Lots One (1) and Two (2) in Block 31 in [illegible] Addition to the City of Portland, [illegible] and Sixth streets.
ALSO,
Parlor, [illegible] Dining [illegible] Furniture,
ALSO,
GROCERIES,
[illegible] bxs Royal's CANDLES,
[illegible] bxs Challenge SOAP,
[illegible] bxs [illegible] SOAP,
[illegible] bbls Zante CURRANTS,
[illegible] bbls English [illegible]

A. B. RICHARDSON, [illegible]

INSURANCE.

[illegible] Fund In[illegible]

[illegible] AND [illegible]

Assets [illegible]

[illegible] BRANCH [illegible]

HOME

MUTUAL INSURANCE CO[illegible]

[illegible] FRANCISCO

Fire and Marine In[illegible]

Capital .......... $1,00[illegible]

THE STA[illegible]

**Investment & Insur[illegible]**

OF SAN FRANCISCO

[illegible] AND M[illegible]

[illegible] ted in 18[illegible]

[illegible] Assets, [illegible]

UNION

Insurance Com[illegible]

Bruns, Wand & Willis

A large and splendid [illegible] of Goods in the [illegible]

LOUIS PAU,
PRACTICAL OPTIC[illegible]
And Manufacturer of
Mathematical & Telegraph Instr[illegible]
No. 90 FIRST, bet. Oak and [illegible]
PORTLAND, OREGON.

HARRINGTON'S
OREGON OIL
Prepared for [illegible]
Is now ready and for sale by E. MART[illegible]
D. F. HARRINGTON, Portland

PARTNER WANT[illegible]

IN THE JEFFERSON HOSIERY [illegible] at Jefferson, Marion county. [illegible] address the undersigned. [illegible] Jefferson, Nov. 21, 1874.

NOTICE.

THE NAMES FOR THE PORTLAND [illegible] tory having gone to press [illegible] who have changed their place [illegible] for the work, will please leave [illegible] J. McCormick, 73 First street, or [illegible] nor Frost and Alder.

[illegible] the steamer *Ajax* will [illegible] at 12 o'clock. She car[illegible] following passengers. Miss [illegible], Mrs. E. A. Bullis, [illegible] F. G. Moore, Geo. [illegible] McVery, wife and 3 [illegible] Pakitt, Mrs. Ella W. [illegible] G. R. Sharp, Wm. [illegible] H. Rankin and [illegible] Mrs. Shaw, J. R. Car[illegible] and wife, Wm. O'Toole, [illegible] and wife, E. E. [illegible] W. Rich, H. Hyne[illegible] U. S. A., E. W. Bing[illegible] W. Carpenter, Miss A. [illegible] Mrs. C. Dinsmore, Miss [illegible] L. H. Wakefield, [illegible] wife, J. J. Kenny, F. [illegible] B. Conkelman, Fred. [illegible] wife, Wells, Fargo & [illegible] to the [illegible]

[illegible] Mr. John Holland re[illegible] Tuesday evening, from [illegible] engaged in re[illegible] for a month past. [illegible] boat has been com[illegible] of the hull and [illegible] calked and painted. [illegible] received considerable [illegible] way the *Idaho* was [illegible] and on [illegible] y took [illegible] temporarily filled [illegible] During the winter [illegible] frequently encoun[illegible] the Dalles and [illegible] being a smaller [illegible] to [illegible] fully [illegible] the *Daisy Ainsworth*. [illegible] used as a winter, [illegible] boat

[illegible]—We understand that [illegible] Major and Paymaster) [illegible] bed at Fort Cape Dis[illegible] attack of the in[illegible] The disease is so [illegible] difficulty he [illegible] the slightest change [illegible] with excruciating pain. [illegible] it will be some [illegible] will warrant his [illegible] In consequence of [illegible] Major John Green and [illegible] who have been detailed to [illegible] his place of confine[illegible] York—will not sail hence [illegible] as was contemplated. [illegible] can be moved with[illegible] be conducted East.

[illegible] dger, which has done very [illegible] ring the past three or four [illegible] up temporarily for re[illegible] the past three weeks has [illegible] various disadvantages [illegible] current and drift wood [illegible] The bed of the [illegible] have been going for[illegible] etc., and as a [illegible] work progressed [illegible] made it very [illegible] The "dipper" is [illegible] and will [illegible] portions of the [illegible] services of the [illegible] It is quite [illegible] suspended

[illegible] informs us [illegible] are to be [illegible] be con[illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] have to [illegible] machinery [illegible] His intentions are [illegible] in readi[illegible] the hull. Work [illegible] in time so [illegible] the high [illegible] the one-third more [illegible] of the kind in the

[illegible] steamer, which sunk [illegible] was [illegible] a few [illegible] was stove in the [illegible] The compart[illegible] was pumped out [illegible] She is [illegible] the work of re[illegible] ced. Be[illegible] is to be very [illegible] The hull and deck [illegible] recalked and re[illegible] also be painted up [illegible] the route [illegible] excellent con[illegible]

[illegible] that the [illegible] a portion of [illegible] to be par[illegible] from ves[illegible] That por[illegible] next thing to [illegible] giving away. [illegible] The condi[illegible] some im[illegible] questionable [illegible] pursued—[illegible] sand—is the [illegible] the exist[illegible]

[illegible] Friday the [illegible] Grange, No. 136. [illegible] the following [illegible] the ensuing [illegible] Staward, W. [illegible] Harrington; [illegible] Gate[illegible] A. L. Hirk[illegible] Flora, Miss [illegible] M. Taylor.

[illegible] ing a lively [illegible] *Idaho* and [illegible] way down from [illegible] The *Teaser* [illegible] before the [illegible] put forth [illegible] was too much [illegible] about 30 miles [illegible] overtook and [illegible] the Cascades [illegible] shore in sight.

[illegible] *Ben Holladay* arrived [illegible] from Astoria. [illegible] The tug made [illegible] hours, starting [illegible] afternoon at 4 [illegible] was so very [illegible] ed to come to [illegible] the head of [illegible] completely lost in [illegible] he was aware

[illegible]—The steamer [illegible] command of [illegible] yard. A por[illegible] torn off and [illegible] other portions [illegible] by carpenters [illegible] ed, which will [illegible] to be placed [illegible] in connection

[illegible] Steffen, who [illegible] the new steam[illegible] now engaged in [illegible] boneyard for [illegible] 0 days for the [illegible] the date he [illegible] That time will [illegible] company can [illegible] contract, if it is

[illegible] the bark *Edward* [illegible] the river by the [illegible] one a thorough [illegible] excellent con[illegible] which is to be [illegible] take on board [illegible] lumber, etc., [illegible] to sail hence in

[illegible] this season of the [illegible] blossom. In the [illegible] of Mr. E. J. W. [illegible] which has been [illegible] The same tree

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland Oregon, December 9, 1874:

|  | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Thermometer | 44° | 46° | 4[illegible] |
| Wind, direction | S. | N. | N. |
| " velocity | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| Weather | Foggy. | Cloudy. | Foggy |
| Minimum temperature |  |  | 42° |

COMMISSIONERS.—The County Commissioners met yesterday afternoon for the transaction of county business. It was ordered that the monthly allowance for Mrs. Spaulding be discontinued from date. An order was also made allowing Mrs. T. L. Haack the sum of $10 for temporary relief. After auditing a large number of claims, the court adjourned.

LITERARY AND MUSICAL.—We are informed that the members of Multnomah Lodge, I. O. G. T., are making great preparation for a musical and literary entertainment on the 26th day of December, 1874, also a Christmas tree, at which all friends of the Order are invited to participate

## AMUSEMENTS.

CONCERT LAST EVENING—Immense but feebly expresses the attendance at and degree of success of the grand vocal and instrumental concert given last evening at Masonic Hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of Trinity Church. Long before the curtain was rung up the grand rush for seats commenced. Every seat in the large hall had been reserved and those who had not purchased were most decidedly out of luck. However chairs were brought and placed along the aisle and nearly every one in the house was accommodated with a seat. At a few minutes past 8 o'clock the concert began. A grand overture by the orchestra, "Poet and Peasant," (Suppe), was rendered in excellent time and harmony. A ballad followed, "Then You'll Remember Me," by Mr. Upshur. "Land of Dreams," sung by the Amphion Glee Club, was well received. It was admirably sung, but was a little unfortunate as to selection. "Oh! How Sweet the Hunter's Song," (Kucken), a duet, was sung in good taste by Mrs. Corbett and Mr. Schuyler. One of the crowning pieces of the evening was "Non E Ver," (Tito Mattei) sung by Mrs. Gen. Michler. This lady is tall and commanding in figure, possesses a good stage presence, and has a voice of power, compass, warmth and expression, of which many an opera singer might feel proud. She was encored and sang "Coming Thro' the Rye." Miss E. Rosenheim next favored the audience with a piano solo, "Reminiscence do Concert," (Bellini) and was encored. "Kathleen Mavourneen" was sung beautifully by Mrs. Corbett, and warmly encored. "Selection from Martha," (Flotow) an instrumental trio, rendered by Messrs. Harris, DePrans and Thielsen, concluded Part First. Part Second consisted of an Overture from "Zampa," (Herold) by the orchestra; a duet and chorus, "Miserere," (Verdi) by Mrs. Michler, Mr. Lancaster, and chorus; a violin solo by Prof. Kay, "Fantasie from Stradella," (Flotow), a duet sung by Messrs. Lancaster and Townsend, "While Old Time Rolls Gaily On" (Hatton), waltz song, "Al Fin Brillar" (L. Ricci), by Mrs. Michler, "Waltz" (Vogol), rendered by the Amphion Glee Club, and concluding with a series of concert waltzes, "Damon and Pythias," composed by Prof. E. C. Finck, a young musician of this city. Want of space and the lateness of the hour preclude more than a passing notice. All acquitted themselves in a highly creditable manner; and better still, the affair was a grand financial success.

## IMPORTANT TO NAVIGATORS.

A short time since the resident Minister of France, at Washington, received official notification from the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Algiers, that that port was ready to receive the largest ships, (irrespective of nationality), where they could put in during a stress of weather, or, if damaged, go on the ways for necessary repairs. The Minister was requested to inform all the French Consuls throughout the United States and elsewhere of the important fact at the earliest practicable date. The following is a copy of the official notification, received by the Minister at Washington, which has been transmitted to the various Consuls:

*Chamber of Commerce of Algiers—To Navigators:*—The dry docks of the Port of Algiers are now open to commerce and navigation, and can receive the largest ships. Terms are very favorable, as the charges for their use are only to cover working expenses. All necessary machinery and stores for repairs can be supplied.

By order of the Chamber of Commerce of Algiers.
[Signed] JOSEPH LYON,
Secretary.

On receipt of the above official notice from the Minister at Washington, the Consul at San Francisco forwarded a copy of the same to Mr. A. Labbe, Consular Agent of France, at Portland, and also wrote the following letter:

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30, 1871

MONSIEUR A. LABBE, Consular Agent of France, Portland, Oregon—Sir: According to instruction just received from His Excellency, the Minister of France at Washington, I have the honor to transmit to you advice concerning the forms of repairs of the Port of Algiers; and it is desired that you give the greatest publicity possible to this intelligence

I have the honor to remain, &c.,
EDMAND BREUIL,
Consul General of France at San Francisco.

## THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 9, 1874.

The jury was called and answered to their names.

U. S. vs J. B. Harker; petition to retax costs put on the docket.

U. S. vs L. H. Adkins; motion for a new trial; argued and submitted.

Trial jurors discharged and paid.

Adjourned until to-morrow.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

Leo Metzger, a native of Bavaria, admitted to citizenship.

Robert W. Jones vs O. C. R. R. Co.; motion to strike out part of amended complaint allowed in part and denied in part; defendant has until Monday next to file answer.

Lloyd Brooke, assignee, vs Woodson Scoggin; by consent continued until the 22d inst.

Lloyd Brooke, assignee, vs John McCraken; by consent, order setting this cause for 10th inst. is vacated and cause continued until the 22d inst.

Order that venire issue for 24 petit jurors to appear in this court on the 22d inst.

Adjourned to Monday next.

## THE FAIR.

A reporter is not to be envied, for he has to do the fairs and the fair ones make a target of him as well as the next—reporters are such fine, handsome fellows, you know (?)—but he stands them off. However, he does the young ladies justice in his notes, and that is sufficient. A merry crowd assembled at Philharmonic Hall last evening. The young ladies presented their claims in a pleasing manner, and those assembled almost invariably succumbed to the earnest entreaties. The fair postmistresses were busily engaged in preparing mail matter, and each new-comer is usually supplied (providing he is willing to accept the situation) on brief notice.

The voting on the articles already up is becoming more spirited. It will be useless to attempt to give any estimate of the vote on either as the books are in numerous hands.

There will be something unusually attractive from this night on to the last. Our limited space forbids extended mention of the Fair.

SEALED PROPOSALS.—The Superintendent of the Penitentiary advertises for sealed proposals, and parties having work to do will do well to give the matter immediate attention.

Great crowds of people at Oscar Kilbourn & Co.'s sales. Special sale this day at 10 o'clock. To-morrow regular sale day. See advertisement.

Let us take a cigar; yes, at O'Brien's, where you get the best.

Almost time to get an overcoat. See the stock at Beck & Waldman's, besides the variety of clothing for gentlemen and youths. And the underwear too is just what you want. A penny saved, etc. Go to Beck & Waldman

Try that new brand of tobacco. It is A No 1. At Foster's—American Exchange building.

FASHIONABLE OUTFITS.—Attention is again called to the extraordinary opportunities which are just now being afforded by the extensive clothing house of JOS KOHN, opposite National Bank. There is no place in the State where a larger or finer assortment both for gentlemen, boys and children will be found. At all times the prices have been the lowest known to the market, but at the present time it will be found that they have been greatly reduced. Mr. Kohn keeps constantly on hand a large and superior stock of furnishing goods and underwear.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Steamer off to-day at 12 M.

Christmas is coming; so is Santa Claus.

Peerless Lodge No. 215, I. O. G. T., this evening.

The Phelps troupe are playing along the Sound.

Mystic Lodge K. of P. this evening at 7 30 o'clock.

The ship *Windward* is still on the beach at Astoria

The Charity Fair at Philharmonic Hall continues.

The rigging of several vessels now in port is being repaired.

The *Cordova* is now at Flanders' wharf discharging ballast

The new wharf extension to the O. S. N. Co.'s dock is almost finished.

The change at Masonic Hall, though not complete, is a decided improvement.

The *Dreadnought* is taking on a cargo of lumber at Kalama for San Francisco.

The voting on the Physician's chair and Editor's cane at the fair is quite spirited.

There will be lively opposition among the several steamboat companies next season.

Nothing heard of the bark *Midas*. Some apprehensions are felt for the safety of the vessel.

The newly-elected officers of the P. F. D. have shaken hands on the aggregate 4,027 times—more or less.

Mr. Voos clears away the debris of the late fire to-day, and will put up a neat frame for his own use, reserving more space on the road front for improvements next spring.

The heighth of meanness has been demonstrated by some parties who stole goods shortly after the late fire, and later, Mr. Voos lost sixteen chickens through the efforts of a gang of thieves.

In a Salt Lake paper of Nov. 28th, we see the name of "Col. J. W. Johnson," of "Queen of the Hills," among the hotel arrivals. We guess this is our Jasper, but where is the Queen of the Hills?

As the tug *Ben Holladay* was on the way to this city she passed the tug *Brenham* at the head of Woody Island, on Tuesday evening, having in tow two vessels bound for Portland. These vessels probably arrived here last night.

## NEW BOOKS.

The following list of new books have just been added to the Portland Library:

The Treasure Hunters, or the Search for the Mountain Mine, by George Mannville Fenn.

Jack's Sister, or True to her Trust; A Novel.

The Barber's Chair, and the Hedgehog Papers; by Douglass Jerrold, with an introduction by his son Blanchard Jerrold.

Modern Christianity; A Civilized Heathenism; by the author of "The Fight at Dame Europa's School."

Songs of Many Seasons, 1862-1874, by Oliver Wendell Holmes.

The History of Greece; by Prof. De Ernst Curtius. Translated by Adolpheus William Ward, M. A., vol 5.

Life and Literature in the Fatherland, by John F. Hurst.

The Life of Samuel Lover, R. H. A., Artistic, Literary and Musical, with selections from his unpublished papers and correspondence; by Bayle Bernard.

Camilla; A Tale of a Violin,—being the Artist Life of Camilla Urso; by Charles Barnard.

The Building of a Brain, by Edward H. Clarke.

Cloth of Gold and other Poems; by Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

Hazel Blossoms; by John Greenleaf Whittier.

The Lily and the Cross, A Tale of Arcadia; by Prof. James DeMille.

The Expressman and the Detective; by Allan Pinkerton.

Wild Life Series, The Puddleford Papers, or Humors of the West; by H. H. Riley. Illustrated.

Ten old Maids; Five of them were Wise and five of them were Foolish; by Julia P. Smith.

### TO THE LADIES OF PORTLAND.

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**"A Rose** by any other name would smell as sweet," that is to say, if the scent remained. There is an almost infinite variety of perfumes which do not continue to smell as sweet, though called by "pet names" as when they were first applied. But "HAGAN'S MAGNOLIA BALM" imparts a continuous and delightful aroma, exhaling a fragrance suggestive of a cultivated taste. It confers an air *distingue*" upon the user.

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[FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.]

ONE OF OREGON'S FIRST FAMILIES—SNOWDEN SPRINGS—DRAIN—EUGENE—THE STATE UNIVERSITY—SPRINGFIELD, THE WINNEMUCCA JUNCTION—AN IMPORTANT ROAD—THE M'KENZIE HOT SPRINGS.

EUGENE, Dec. 8, 1874.

The season so far has been favorable for agricultural purposes. The farmers of Lane county are not unduly discouraged by the low price of wheat. There is likely to be as much wheat sown and as large a crop reaped at the coming harvest as the last. The farmers of both Douglas and Lane counties are preparing to sow more flax than any former year, and raise more sheep and hogs. In the meantime wheat at 50 cents a bushel makes money scarce, collections difficult and business dull. Farmers and others are studying economy and cutting down expenses so as to meet the times.

THE APPLEGATE FAMILY.

At Yoncalla I had an opportunity of meeting Mr. Charles Applegate for the first time. He has many of the qualities that distinguish the large connection of that name. He has been successful in accumulating large property—and raising a large family. His own farm contains 2,500 acres, besides large farms owned and occupied by his sons.

They raise wheat extensively and abound in flocks and herds, and cultivate hospitality. I had the satisfaction of seeing Mr Jesse Applegate at his former old home. From my former acquaintance with him, I had formed a very high opinion of him. Adversity on his part has gone far to confirm that impression. He appears grander under the cloud of adversity than in the sunshine of prosperity. He is, in my opinion, the most intelligent, upright, patriotic and competent statesman in Oregon. His liberality to his family, his generosity to others, and their betrayal of his confidence, and the incompetence and negligence of some of the State officials at Salem have resulted in leaving him without an acre of land, a house or home. But he has retained what is better than all these his honor, his integrity, his patriotism and his intellectual and moral courage to fight the battle of the balance of his life manfully and courageously. When the horde of mean and corrupt politicians in the State will be rotten and forgotten the memory of Jesse Applegate will be revered. His daughter, Mrs. Long, is worthy of such a father, and ranks among the most intelligent and accomplished ladies in the county. Mr. Applegate leaves in a short time to join his sons east of the Cascades, near Clear Lake.

SNOWDEN'S SODA SPRING,

Located in Yoncalla valley, two miles from Drain station, is as powerful as ever to relieve humanity of many of its ills. It is most efficacious in removing rheumatism, relieving chest and liver diseases, diseases peculiar to females, and all cases of general debility. He can supply enquirers with well authenticated facts to confirm these and similar statements, some of them of an extreme character. A gentleman in Drain told me of his wife and sister who were effectually cured by the use of this mineral water. What Mr. Snowden wants is a larger residence so as to accommodate the numerous visitors who would patronize his establishment. He has only accommodations for about eight or ten persons.

DRAIN.

The contemplated public road from Drain to the coast is attracting a good deal of attention. The friends claim that it will save 20 miles in distance for mail facilities and travel, a better road than any other to the coast, and that money is already subscribed sufficient to build it.

EUGENE CITY

Is steadily holding its own in building and business, although it is suffering the depression arising from the low price of wheat and the consequent scarcity of money. The removal of the Land Office to Portland will be a drawback to the place. One of the chief losses the town has sustained is the inability, for the present, to finish the State University. The bill introduced into the late Legislature for an appropriation to assist in completing this fine building and important institution, was opposed and defeated, in a great measure, by three of the Democratic members from the same county. This is a sample of the men that misrepresent the people from time to time in our Legislature. A few rich, selfish men, and their tools in the House did more to dwarf Eugene and the county in population, intelligence and general progress than can be easily estimated. But the friends of education in the town and county will make a grand rally in the spring, who will, most likely, be able to devise ways and means to complete this beautiful building.

One of the best friends of this institution—Senator Bristow—died this morning after considerable suffering. He leaves a good name behind him. He was respected and esteemed as a good citizen while he lived, and is lamented now when dead.

One of the best features of the present State of Oregon, and the most hopeful of its future progress, is the desire of parents to give their children a good education and the sacrifices they make to accomplish it. Intelligence is the basis of personal greatness and national progress. Our public schools, academies, colleges and universities should be liberally and generously supported as the intellectual life blood of the State and nation. Selfish, corrupt and cold-hearted politicians may betray the interests of the State and nation for a time—such as Grant and his happy family of office-holders and office-seekers—but an intelligent and virtuous people will hurl them from power in due time. So let it ever be.

SPRINGFIELD.

There is great activity going on at this place. Pengra & Co.'s saw and planing mill have more orders than they can fill. Their flouring mill is doing well. The water-power of this place is extensive and of great value, of which the mill company are the owners. A splendid bridge has been built across the Wallamet river at a cost of $10,000.

Mr. Pengra is in Washington at present. He has great hope of succeeding in his railroad enterprise; he expects to see work commenced in the spring. This Winnemucca railroad is one of the important measures that will lead to the ultimate emancipation of the State from high freights, and secure cheap travel. Competition is the life of trade. Open a new channel for immigration to come direct to the State and an additional market for its various productions, as well as stimulate other valuable enterprises, and the general progress of the State.

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NORTHWEST

PAUSE WHILE YOU READ THIS! The season for parties and balls has arrived and the cold dreary days and nights of winter will soon visit us. Every young man, old man and boy for that matter, likes to present a neat appearance when attending parties, the theater, or walking about the streets. They like wise desire to be well provided against the cold blasts of snow and rain. What contributes more to the personal appearance and comfort of a gentleman, or boy, than a nice closely fitting suit of clothes, set off with a heavy warm overcoat? Why will any one be so foolish as to go without either, when BECK & WALDMAN have everything in that line. Beck & Waldman in laying in their immense fall and winter stock of Clothing have exercised great care, and selected with reference to the demands of trade. They have purchased their goods low and are determined not to be undersold. Let the public note this fact

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Our regular correspondent sends the following under date of the 9th inst.:

The County Court is in session. Several civil actions are pending, some of which have been decided. The Commissioners Court has but little business.

Steamboating on the Wallamet is very lively now. Your correspondent noticed no less than seven steamboats pass the Clackamas rapids within half an hour on last Thursday morning. Four of them were coming up and three going below.

Articles of incorporation of the "Oregon City Furniture Manufacturing Company" were filed in the Clerk's office to-day. H. W. Ross, S. B. Hatch, E. J. Colbath and W. W. Moreland are the incorporators. The capital stock is $15,000, divided into 300 shares of $50 each. Duration of the corporation is unlimited.

Considerable excitement has prevailed in this vicinity over a rumored discovery of silver mines in this county, about 22 miles from town, on a stream known by the name of Milk creek. Parties having the first intimation of said mines left here a week ago, accompanied by the discoverer. After remaining some days prospecting, they concluded to organize a company to develop said mines. Several men are now at work penetrating the ledge. Several specimens of the croppings have been tested with various reported results. Some claim the results to show very rich cropping, some say there is some kind of metal unknown, and other reports say there is no metal except a small amount of iron in the rock. So we, as well as many others, are at a loss to know anything definite. We will apprise you when we know more.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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W D Wample & wf, Lewis river
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M Eliot, Astoria
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J Miller, Cathlamet
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J B Alexander, Clackamas
A Smith, Albany
A Gray, Hubbard
A B Gleason, "
J L Shipley, Philmath
N H Kelly, P S
M Kominski, Gervais
W Cumins, Eugene
L A Campbell, Van
F C Withen, "
H V Huntington, Cowlitz
T J Burford, Dallas
H Burford, Eola
J W Giveu, Hillsboro
R Moore, "
A Tongue, "
S T Arthur, "
J Cornelius, "
P M Jackson, "
J W Arthur, McMinnville
F B H[illegible]ston, Oystervill

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F Hallett, Cathlamet
M F Speener, McMinville
E Allen, Corvallis
J L McNeil, Halsey
H Franklin, S F
P Bear, La Grande
D C Jedford, Scappoose
M R Hendrick, Wheatld
O D Doane Dalles
W H Taylor, Kalama
J A Pruett, Pendleton
C H Whitney, Van
J M Fletcher, "
J O'Kean,
J W Alger, Linn
H R Fenton & wf, N Y
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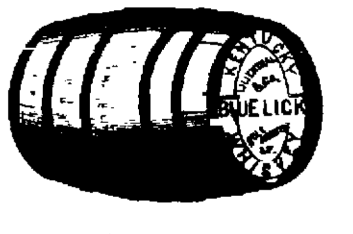

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## FARTHER INDIA.

THE HORRIBLE MASSACRE OF CHRISTIANS AT TONG KING

The *Missions Catholiques* publishes the following letter from Mgr Puginier Vicar Apostolic to Eastern Tong King: "I hasten to thank you for the interest manifested in our cause by publishing several articles on the persecutions at Tong King. The readers of the *Missions Catholiques* must have been touched by the terrible misfortunes of our Christians and will not have omitted to ask the Divine Master to restore peace and prosperity to his Church in China. We count much upon the prayers of the Catholic world. I will not conceal from you that I consider the present fearful crisis in Tong King will prove eventually very favorable to the Catholic religion. God will hear the prayers of our martyrs. The massacre of Christians and the pillaging and burning of their villages commenced in my mission, and thence spread into that of Mgr Gauthier. How can I ever describe to you the horrors we have witnessed, and which we were unable to prevent. The literati freed from all restraint, excited by love of pillage, and drunk with blood, abandoned all restraint, and their wrath knew no bounds. Armed with lances, guns and even cannon, they threw themselves, followed by numerous bands of lawless men, upon the Christian villages, none of which were strong enough to defend themselves. They killed men, women, and children without distinction, sparing neither those who asked for pity nor those who refused to do so. A schoolmaster seeing the literati coming took refuge in a church, and there, prostrate before the altar, implored the mercy of God. The murderers arrived. They seized him in the sanctuary and scalped him. He still continued to pray, and they at last cut his head off. Among them were several old men, women, girls, and even children. Three priests, twenty missionary students and ten catechists or scholars of Mgr Gauthier met with the same fate. About 20,000 Christians in both missions were totally ruined and dispersed. The majority were killed in the sack of the villages; many were ordered to apostatise, and, on refusing to do so, condemned to death. A great many are still hidden in the mountains, living there on roots and herbs. Others have taken refuge with Pagan friends. Over 50 presbyteries, 200 churches, 300 villages containing 14,000 families and 10 convents of Annamite nuns have been pillaged and burnt. The material loss to the missions is over 400,000 francs, and that of the Christians exceeds 15,000,000 francs. The labor before us is immense. We have, first of all, to bring the despised Christians back to their villages, and they are nearly naked and without money. Moreover, their houses being burnt, we shall have to help to rebuild them. I estimate that each mission will require at least 300,000 francs to put it to rights, and where are we to get the money? We trust in Providence, and entreat the aid of God through the intercession of His latest martyrs."

A REMARKABLE KIDNAPPING CASE.—Baltimore, Dec 2.—Henry Campbell, aged 11 years, residing with his parents on George street, one day last week met a man driving a wagon a few miles from the city on the Hookstown road, and asked him to give him a ride. After going some distance Campbell alighted from the wagon, and as he did so three men seized him, blindfolded and gagged him, and then put him into another covered wagon. The boy was then driven to a neighboring wood where there seemed to be a camping ground, and where he discovered another captive boy in a wagon with three sheep. The two boys were fed on bread and water, and under heavy threats were made to do laborious work. The boys not being able to do as much work as was demanded of them, their allowance of bread and water was reduced as a punishment, and their hands were tied between their knees. This lasted from Saturday last until Monday night, when one of the boys, Harry Campbell, made his escape, and after wandering about for some time he met a colored man in the road, who showed him the way to Baltimore. When he reached home his condition was most deplorable, his clothes being tattered and torn and covered with vermin. His parents are respectable people, and vouch for the truthfulness of the boy's story.

UNSATISFACTORY WILLS.—A correspondent of the *Republic* narrates the following sad incident:

I recently became much interested in an account of one of these [illegible] conflicts. The case was sad as well as romantic. A young lady, beautiful and accomplished, had been bequeathed only a paltry sum by her wealthy father, who had left the bulk of his property to a niece, who resided with him. The daughter, smarting under this violation of paternal duty, in vain appealed to law to annul the will. About two years afterward the niece was seized with a fatal malady, and shortly before she died she confessed to her cousin that she was the cause of the former's disinheritance. She admitted that she poisoned the father's mind with falsehoods, compromising the virtue of the pure and unsuspecting daughter. The poor girl was so shocked by this horrible revelation that she became a hopeless lunatic, and died within a few weeks.

A MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—The fireman of the steam heating apparatus at the Central depot yesterday found a penny as he was raking out the hot ashes in the furnace, and he took it up with the tongs and placed it on a bench outside to cool off. It had hardly commenced to cool when a heavy man named Johnson, living in Saginaw, came along. He was talking business with a friend, and as he came to the bench he parted his coat-tails and sat down on the penny, remarking, "As I was saying, you can have forty acres for—whoop! Thunder and blazes—ouch—dash it—gosh to whoop!" He galloped around in wild amazement, the hot penny sticking to him like a brother, and it was two or three minutes before any one found out whether he had dropped on a tack or been bitten by a dog. There was a heavy aroma of burning cloth and blistered meat, and Mr Johnson stretched forth his arms and exclaimed that he should devote the remainder of life to hunting down the fiend who thus planned to waylay him.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A FELINE WORSHIPPER.—On Monday night an incident occurred at a religious meeting which considerably amused some who probably were not as seriously impressed with what was going on [illegible]. Whilst the preacher was earnestly exhorting his hearers, a little black kitten entered the door, and after taking a calm view of the scene, walked leisurely up the aisle until it reached the upper part of the church, where it espied for the first time the minister vigorously gesticulating. Pussy viewed him with much curiosity for a little while, and then, apparently for the purpose of making a closer observation of what she seemed to think a singular spectacle, stepped within the railing and seated herself directly in front of the reverend gentleman, giving every indication of the deepest interest. When the preacher was near the conclusion of his sermon, she suddenly arose, as if she had heard enough, trotted down the aisle and left the church.—*Baltimore American.*

A BRIDE SUFFOCATED IN A CLOSET.—Hartlepool, England, has also been the scene of a sad event, very similar to that of Mistletoe Bough. A gentleman by the name of Kelk, cashier to a building firm there, had recently got married. He gave a party at his house. His young wife, says the paper, in her anxiety to get out of the hot air ventured up stairs, and seeing a small closet with a ventilator she entered to fasten it, when the current of air closed the door. In vain she called for the servants; although she could hear the door bell ring and the visitors enter, and as none suspected that the imprisoned lady was in the roof of the house, all the other parts of the dwelling and the grounds were searched. When at last found, Mrs. Kelk was seriously ill and hysterical. Violent epileptic fits followed, and the shock being more than the nervous system could sustain, death shortly put an end to her sufferings.

Men of true manly grit are not to be found every day, but one of this kind died at his post in Cheyenne the other day. He was an engineer on the Union Pacific Railroad. Coming west, bringing the passenger train, he was suddenly taken seriously ill, but, rather than shrink from duty, he increased the speed of the engine to forty miles an hour, and reached Cheyenne ahead of time. As the monster machine came to a halt, and the engineer who was to relieve him stepped into the pilot house, he said, faintly, "Take the engine. I'm ready to die now!" And in five seconds he was a corpse. The Union Pacific Company ought to erect a monument over that engineer.

## FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

### Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, December 9, 1874.

Gold in New York 11[illegible].

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 89½; selling 90½.

Legal tenders in San Francisco 90½ buying; 91 selling.

Sight exchange on San Francisco coin ½ ⅌c discount; currency ¼ of 1 per cent prem.

Sight exchange on New York coin ¼ of one per cent prem, and currency ½ of one per cent.

Gold bars 25@30.

Price of Sterling exchange in New York $4 84½@4 88.

Latest telegrams from Liverpool quote a quiet market. Quotations are as follows: For California cargoes off the spot [illegible]; Oregon [illegible] 10s 6d; cargoes Oregon for shipment to Cork [illegible]; do to Liverpool 9s 11d per cental. Liverpool cargoes for shipment 45s 6d per quarter of 500 lbs.

Eastern advices by mail inform us that the greatest interest in monetary and commercial circles now center in the hog [illegible] and first the pork and corn movement. The *Times* says: The orders from the country for currency on the 1st inst. were still liberal. Some of the country banks have exhausted their deposits in Chicago, and if they have occasion to use any more currency must send in commercial bills for discount. The wet weather probably has had something to do with discouraging shipments of hogs, but there can be nothing more than a temporary lull, as the farmers are selling the product in fresh in order to obtain the high prices ruling. The fact that the proceeds of their sales are at once used by many of the farmers to discharge their indebtedness to country merchants, and by the latter to settle their accounts with the city jobbers, will cause the largest part of the currency that is now going into the country to flow back into the channels of city trade. The process will enrich all concerned. It will clear the country of debt and will place the general business interests of the Northwest on as sound a basis as could be desired. The predictions of losses to the agriculturists of the West and of stagnation in trade that were made to depend on the low price of wheat have been falsified by the event. The high prices of corn, hogs and other products have enriched the farmers, and the wholesale business of this city—in which the country retail trade is aggregated—is in a strong and prosperous condition.

The London *Investors' Manual* every month gives a statement of the amounts payable at London on account of subscriptions to new securities. It shows that in October there was a very significant absence of payments on account of American issues. Out of a total of nearly $30,000,000 called up in September on account of new loans, the United States figure for only $3,500,000, of which about $3,000,000 is taken by the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad and the remainder by the Northern Central and the Iowa Pacific. The lists of calls for October as made up on the 20th of September, and nearly complete, does not include a single amount called on account of any American Investment. Considering that the statements have been wont to report from five to ten millions per month of capital called up in connection with subscriptions to American securities, this fact is very significant. In the first place it is a striking evidence of either the absence of American applications for loans on the London market or the indisposition of British investors for the time being to employ their capital in the United States. Probably both causes contribute, for while it is certain that there are now but few of our corporations seeking loans abroad, and that some of them have found it easy to borrow at home, it is equally sure that the collapse in new railroad investments caused by the panic of last year has caused among English investors an extreme caution respecting American corporate securities.

Our daily review of the local money market is necessarily brief because of the limited transactions now going on outside of the somewhat steady inquiry from grain dealers and shippers. Money is in good request, but the call comes chiefly from one or two branches of trade and is supplied with moderate freedom at the usual rates, though the amount of funds is not such as to lead holders to urge the market.

There seems in the past few days to be an indication of rather more activity in real estate than has prevailed for some months, and it is taken as a sign of an improved condition of the general money market.

### The Wheat Market.

We find no special features of excitement in our home market to-day. Offers are still free and prices weak at quotations, owing to the delay in the arrivals of vessels due. Advices from Liverpool to-day denote a fair demand for cargoes at last quotations, with no advancing tendency. The receipts at this port during the week so far have been a little but not much less than for the same time during last, but we look for a large increase in the aggregate receipts of December over those of November if the rains continue to keep the river in a navigable state, as buyers inform us that offers to sell at current rates are free, and the only difficulty is to get transportation sufficiently rapid.

On the shipments of wheat from San Francisco and the prices there, the *Commercial Herald* of Dec 3d says: "The receipts as well as shipments compare favorably with those of last season. The outward movement is continued upon a grand scale. Stocks in the interior are very considerable, yet our city warehouses contain less than the usual quantity. We have a large fleet of ships in port, and there is an abundance of grain for all in due course. The millers, like shippers, are forced to go into the country to buy selected crops of choice grain suited to their purpose. The cost to shippers approximates $1 60@1 62½, while to millers it is $1 65 at least. Inferior parcels of pinched foul stuff are slow of sale at $1 25@1 35 ⅌ ctl. Coast lots selling at $1 40@1 45 according to condition. Some lots brought in are quite wet, others damp, showing the effect of exposure. The business of the week so far as made public approximates the following lots: 25,000 sks extra choice milling $1 65; 150,000 sks choice, $1 52½; 26,000 sks do $1 50; 7,500 sks fair $1 45; 2,500 sks do $1 42½; 3,000 sks do $1 40; 2,500 sks inferior $1 30@1 35; and 1,500 sks pinched inferior $1 25@1 30 ⅌ ctl."

### Shipping Intelligence.

The British bark Clan Macleod, to Cork for orders, went down the river to-day with 36,307 bushels wheat, valued at $41,307, dispatched by the Salem Flouring Mills.

The ship Valparaiso hauled up to central dock this morning and continued the reception of her cargo at that point.

The steamship Ajax, with freight and passengers, will sail for San Francisco at 12 o'clock to-morrow.

The British bark Rosneath, from South America, consigned to Henry Hewitt & Co. as agents for charterers, arrived at a late hour this evening. She comes to load grain for Europe.

The British bark Cordova has her ballast well out and will load at once.

The survey of the British bark Cordova was held to-day, and it was found that her hull is in perfect condition and that she is entirely seaworthy and undamaged by the late grounding on Desdemona Spit.

The barkentine Reindeer has her cargo on board and will go down the river on Friday morning.

The San Francisco papers of the 3d inst. announce the arrival at that port of the British ship Royal Alfred from Melbourne, en route to Portland. We are aware of the facts which account for the non-arrival of this vessel at this port before this time, but for good reasons refrain from publishing them at present.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 9.—Arrived—Barkentine Victor, Yokohama; ship China, Rio Janeiro.

Sailed—Steamer Montana, Guaymas and Colorado river.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 9.—Arrived—Ship Brewster, Peru; ship Cultivator, Cardiff; barkentine W H Gawley, Port Madison; schr Annie Lee, Coos Bay.

### San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 9.—Flour—Superfine [illegible]; extra, $4 50@4 75; shipping, $4 [illegible].

Wheat—Prime shipping $1 52½; milling $1 [illegible].

Barley—Coast $1 30@1 35; bay $1 25@1 50; chevalier $1 75@1 80.

Oats—Light $1 35@1 40; medium to choice heavy $1 45@1 60.

Potatoes—$1 25@1 50.

Onions—Choice yellow $1 12½.

Vegetables—Cabbage 60@70c; garlic 8@9c; marrow fat squash $10@12 ⅌ ton.

Corn—Yellow dull at $1 37½; white scarce at $1 42½.

Cornmeal—Table 2½; feed $32 ⅌ ton.

Buckwheat—2¼c.

Rye—$1 15.

Peas—1¾@2.

Beans—Bayo 3c; pea 3¾@4c; small white 3½@3¾; butter 4½@5c; pink and red 2½@3½.

Seeds—Alfalfa, 18c; Canary 4@4½c; flax 3@3½c; California mustard 1¾@2c; timothy 10; California hops 32½@35.

Honey—White in frames 18@22½c; dark 8@12½c; strained 6@10; beeswax 27½c.

Ripe fruit—Apples, 40@75; cooking $1@1 50; eating pears 75c@$1 for common and $2@3 50 for table; plums 3@5c; strawberries 2½c; tokay grapes 8@10; Muscat 7@7½c; Malevoise 15c; limes $8@10; Mexican oranges, $35; Australian lemons $35@40 ⅌ 100; Malaga apples $5@6 ⅌ dozen; Wisconsin cranberries, $14@15 ⅌ bbl.

Nuts—Almonds 8@10c for hard and 18@20c for soft; Brazil 12½@14c; filberts, 16@20c; hickory 10@11c; pecan 12½@14c; Chile walnuts 10@11c; California walnuts 10@12½c; California peanuts, 5@7c; Eastern chestnuts 25@35c; coconuts $6@8.

Feed—Bran $19; middlings, $28 50; oilcake meal $30; hay $10@17; straw 75@80c ⅌ bale.

Dairy Products—Fresh roll butter 45@50; pickled roll 40@45; firkin 27½@32; ordinary 37½@40; Choice California cheese 15@18c; western 14@16; N. Y. State Factory 16@19; California fresh eggs 40@45; Oregon 35; eastern 30@35c ⅌ doz.

Poultry—Turkeys $14@15; live $16@1[illegible] dressed; hens $6@7 50; large roosters $6 50@8 50; spring chickens $5@6; ducks $6@8; geese, $1@1[illegible] ⅌ doz.

Wild game—Hare $2 50@[illegible]; Rabbits 10@15; quail $1 50@1 62; English snipe $1 50@1 75; larks, doves, plovers, curlew, common snipe 60@75c; ducks 50@$1 75; common mallard $3 44; geese small $2@2 50; large including prairie geese $3@4; venison 6@8c.

Provisions—California bacon 13½@16c; California hams 13½@1[illegible]c; Eastern hams 17@18c; shoulders 9@10c; smoked beef 6½@13c; beef tongues [illegible]; lard 14@17c; California and Eastern pigs feet [illegible]; bbl mess beef $11 for bbls, $15@16 half bbls; pork $16; prime [illegible] 50; prime mess [illegible]; mess [illegible]; clear [illegible].

Cotton—Extra clear cotton California 15c; middling upland in New York 15¼c.

Wool—California fall clip, 16@18c; fair to good clean grades.

Hides—California 19@19½c; dry salted 8½c.

Tallow—Good to choice beef 7@7½c.

### San Francisco Stock Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 9.—Ophir 58½; Savage 11½; Chollar 70; Hale & Norcross [illegible]; Crown Point [illegible]; Yellow Jacket 13; Belcher 17; Confidence 30; Con Va 420; Overman [illegible]; California 43; Seg. Belcher 17.

**Samaritan Lodge No 4, I O O F.**—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner of First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N G

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DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Oregon.—In Bankruptcy. This is to give notice that on the [illegible] day of November A. D. 1874 a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of [illegible] of Portland, in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of H. H. Northrup, Room No. 8 in Dekum's Building, Portland, in said District, before H. H. Northrup, Register, on the 10th day of December A. D. 1874, at 11 o'clock A. M.

DAN. F. MAHARKEY,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.

n30d1t

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of the St Helens Mill Company, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a second general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held in the city of Portland in said District, on Wednesday the 30th day of December 1874, at 11 o'clock A. M. at the office of H. H. Northrup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, for the purposes named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 1867.

ARTHUR GRIFFITH,
Assignee.

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SCHOOL TAXES.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No 1, Multnomah county, Oregon.—You are hereby notified that the tax for the year 1874 is now due and collectable, and I am by virtue of a warrant from the Directors of said District dated November 24th 1874 commanded to collect the same within thirty days.

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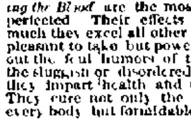

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### Ordinance No. 1576.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION out of the Street Lamp Fund.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The sum of five hundred and thirty three 50/100 dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Street Lamp Fund for the payment for gas consumed in the street lamps to Dec 1 1874.

Section 2. The Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant for the above amount in payment of the claim of the Portland Gas Light Co.

Passed the Common Council December 2 1874.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Dec 4 1874.

HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

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### Ordinance No. 1577.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS out of the Police Fund.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the Police Fund:

To pay of the Police force for services in November 1874, eleven hundred and thirty five dollars.

To pay of the Police Force for services in the month of December 1874, eleven hundred and [illegible] five dollars.

Passed the Common Council December 2 1874.

W. S. CALDWELL,
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### Ordinance No. 1578.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT with the Portland Gas Light Co. for lighting street lamps.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Portland Gas Light Co. for a term not exceeding two years for furnishing gas, lighting, turning out and keeping clean all the street lamps now erected and fitted, or which may be hereafter erected and fitted for burning gas, at a rate not exceeding five dollars per lamp per month.

Section 2. Said contract shall contain the following provisions: That all lamps thereunder shall be kept lit during the hours specified in a calendar to be prepared and kept on file in the Auditor's Office, the aggregate number of hours of which shall not exceed the aggregate of a calendar filed Feb [illegible] 1874, for the year ending March 1 1875.

That the gas shall be of good quality, equal to the gas now in use, turned on to the full capacity of the burners. The burners shall be furnished by and be under the control of the City, and of the size and style now in use or any improvement thereon burning the same quantity of gas.

That the said Company shall keep the lamps clean and report promptly all repairs needed to ensure an efficient light. That the City shall make connections with the Company's mains for new lamps from time to time as may be deemed expedient, and the mains are extended within fifty feet of such lamps. That the claims for service under said contract shall be presented monthly and paid in the manner provided by Ordinance No 1414, providing for the payment of salaries, upon the certificate of the Superintendent of Streets approved by the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Section 3. Said contract shall also contain a provision to the effect that a failure to light or keep lit any lamp or lamps during any of the hours specified in said list or calendar, caused by the negligence of the contractor, pay therefor shall be forfeited, and an additional sum equal to one tenth of the monthly contract price for lighting such lamp for each and every night of such failure.

Passed the Common Council December 2 1874.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved December 4 1874.

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### City Assessment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT Roll of the City of Portland has been completed and will remain open at the Auditor's Office until JANUARY 1st, 1875, prior to which time all applications for corrections of errors must be filed.

Particular attention is directed to the following section of Ordinance No 11[illegible]:

Sect. [illegible]. Any person deeming himself aggrieved by the assessment, valuation or listing of property may apply to the Common Council for a revision of the same.

Such application shall contain a list of all the property subject to taxation for city purposes owned by or in the hands or under the control of the applicant, and a concise statement of the particular item or items claimed to be erroneously assessed, which said application shall in all cases be verified by oath or affirmation of the applicant, and must be filed with the Auditor before the 1st day of JANUARY following the date of the filing of the Assessment Roll.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

December 1 1874. d2dtd

### Montgomery Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the city of Portland propose to improve that part of Montgomery street lying between the west line of First street and the east line of Fourth street, by grading, planking the roadway full width and relaying sidewalks where necessary.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Dec [illegible] 1874. d5d10t

### Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874, commanding me to levy upon Lot number six in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to forty five 34/100 dollars ($45 34) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city, I have this day levied upon said Lot 6 in Block 313, and on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of December, 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door in said city of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, will sell said Lot 6 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U. S. gold and silver coin.

J. H. LAPPEUS, Chief of Police.

Portland, Dec 1 1874. d2d1aw1t

### Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874, commanding me to levy upon Lot number one in Block 105, Couch's Addition to the city of Portland, and collect assessment thereon amounting to one hundred and twenty eight 85/100 dollars ($128 85) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city, I have this day levied upon said Lot one in Block 105, and on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of December 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door in said city of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, will sell said Lot one to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U. S. gold and silver coin.

J. H. LAPPEUS, Chief of Police.

Portland, Dec 1 1874. d2d1aw1t

### Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of a Warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland dated Nov 21st, 1874, commanding me to levy upon Lot Number four in Block 105, Couch's Addition to the city of Portland, and collect assessment thereon amounting to one hundred and three [illegible]/100 dollars ($[illegible]) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city, I have this day levied upon said Lot four in Block 105, and on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of December 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the court House door in said city of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, will sell said Lot 4 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U. S. gold and silver coin.

J. H. LAPPEUS, Chief of Police.

Portland, Dec 1 1874. d2d1aw1t

### Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874, commanding me to levy upon Lot number seven in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to ninety [illegible] 41/100 dollars ($[illegible] 41) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city, I have this day levied upon said Lot seven in Block 313, and on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of December 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door in said city of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, will sell said Lot 7 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U. S. gold and silver coin.

J. H. LAPPEUS, Chief of Police.

Portland, Dec 1 1874. d2d1aw1t

### Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874, commanding me to levy upon Lot number five in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to one hundred and eight 08/100 dollars ($108 08) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city, I have this day levied upon said Lot 5 in Block 313, and on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of December 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door in said city of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, will sell said Lot 5 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U. S. gold and silver coin.

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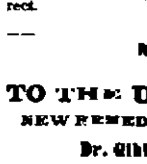

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How many thousands of [illegible] are there w[illegible] existence from the [illegible] from virus absorbed [illegible] pallid, emaciated and [illegible] broken-down constit[illegible] the happiness of man[illegible]. In this horrid situation [illegible] closes the scene. Let [illegible] tend to those who are [illegible] horrible life-destroying [illegible] cared for and cured [illegible] immediately to DR. G[illegible] made private di[illegible] his [illegible] and who is certain to [illegible] without mercury or any [illegible] portant to those who are [illegible] are interested in the welfare [illegible] careful of the many [illegible] all cities publishing [illegible] in a few days imposing [illegible] the names of eminent [illegible] other places. Be the [illegible] inquiry or you may fall into [illegible] charlatans.

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[illegible] NEWS.

[illegible] TO THE [illegible]

The Siege of Vi[illegible]

[illegible] Dec 9.—The excitement is [illegible] generally resumed. Armed bodies are reported at various places out of town [illegible] still guard the approaches to the city.

[illegible] of the Legislature.

[illegible] Ames has issued a proclamation calling [illegible] of the Legislature for Th[illegible] action on the situation [illegible].

Exit Crosby.

[illegible] Board of Supervisors to-day accepted [illegible] of Crosby. An election will be [illegible].

[illegible] and Embezzlement by [illegible]

[illegible] stolen records furnish [illegible] and embezzlement by Sheriff [illegible] Clerk Wash Davenport [illegible] who are all under [illegible] The stolen records were [illegible] Davenport's house. [illegible]

[illegible] Dec. 9.—To-day's [illegible] railroads and the [illegible] relative to the [illegible] line. Huntington will [illegible] the [illegible] and foreign [illegible] knowing [illegible]

A [illegible]

[illegible] $20,000 [illegible] as a reward for the [illegible] of the Penn family to [illegible]

[illegible] Dec. 9.—King [illegible] Ord the Mayor [illegible] At 1 o'clock the party [illegible] was fired [illegible]

A Church [illegible]

[illegible] Dec. 9.—[illegible] were burned [illegible] $60,000.

A Military [illegible]

[illegible] YORK, Dec. 9.—[illegible] 12th Regt [illegible] Guard, [illegible] 1st California Regiment [illegible]

I[illegible]

[illegible] Dec. 9.—[illegible] received [illegible] of Ute Indians left [illegible] Carbon [illegible] citizens are [illegible]

Murder and Robbery.

[illegible], Pa. Dec. 10.—A [illegible] murdered and robbed [illegible] turnpike at a point called the Notch [illegible] Scranton. His young son, who was [illegible] distance ahead, was not [illegible].

Decline of Trades U[illegible]

[illegible] YORK, Dec 10.—The *Times* [illegible] mechanics and two thousand [illegible] trades unions here [illegible] as an evidence of the declining power of [illegible]

[illegible] of Venus.

[illegible] YORK, Dec. 10.—Professor Hall [illegible] naval ob[illegible] reads the following [illegible] observations of the transit at [illegible] Dec. 9 [illegible] observations of the time of [illegible] particularly successful [illegible] 113 photographs of Venus during the passage [illegible] disc of the sun. [illegible] Nagasaki [illegible] favorable [illegible] Just as Venus left the [illegible] and there [illegible]

Purely S[illegible]

[illegible], Dec. 10.—[illegible] of the burning of [illegible] by negroes in the vicinity of Vicksburg [illegible] from here Tuesday to several Northern [illegible] are purely sensational.

W[illegible]

C[illegible]

[illegible] Dec 9.—In the Senate, [illegible] a memorial from the type founders of [illegible] against the ratification of the [illegible] treaty so far as it [illegible] also a memorial from the [illegible] and Atlantic and Pacific railroad [illegible] aid for the construction [illegible] $100,000 for a [illegible]

[illegible] Dec. 9.—The Republi[illegible]

[illegible] to Louisiana several [illegible] the Government [illegible] the Legislature [illegible]

[illegible], Dec 10.—The H[illegible] will to-morrow [illegible] a House bill appropriating [illegible] sum for the [illegible] of the Sandwich Islands. [illegible] that a proposition [illegible] the authorities of the [illegible] cession to the United States of a [illegible] on the Mexican side of the Rio G[illegible] back from the river to the mountains, by [illegible] ality for the past and [illegible] for the [illegible] If the negotiations are [illegible] the Government to put a stop to [illegible] of the [illegible] such depredations. It is understood that both Govern[illegible]

BY ATLANTIC [illegible]

Arrest [illegible]

[illegible], Dec. 9.—The [illegible] to-day. The court [illegible] reporters of various nations [illegible]

A [illegible]

PARIS, Dec 9.—In conformity [illegible] the late [illegible] Washburne, U S Minister, [illegible] de Lafayette, Deputy in [illegible] from the Seine et Marne, a grandson of the Marquis de Lafayette, the watch which Washington [illegible] to the latter as a souvenir at the [illegible] while he was traveling in the [illegible] but was recovered in later [illegible]. The presentation ceremonies took place at the [illegible] American Embassy in the pr[illegible] the family and others [illegible] and many distinguished Am[illegible]

The Transit of Venus.

[illegible] Dec. 9.—[illegible] observations of [illegible] taken at Cairo, Suez, and photographs [illegible] stations at Thebes, were perfectly successful. [illegible]

A Carlist S[illegible]

[illegible] Dec 9.—A Hendaye special to the *D[illegible]* [illegible] of Don Lomas [illegible] of his first attempt he was driven from [illegible] where [illegible] three hours fighting [illegible] his troops in a disorganized state, he renewed [illegible] on Thursday with his whole force [illegible] and 4 guns. The Carlists had [illegible] and after an engagement lasting all day was compelled to retreat. Carlists admit [illegible] of 200. It is believed the [illegible]

Severe Storm in Eu[illegible]

[illegible] Dec 10.—The storm yesterday was [illegible] to shipping. A dozen vessels are [illegible] one reported sunk with all on board. [illegible] from France were several hours behind [illegible] to works in the harbors at [illegible] hundred yards of pier was swept away [illegible] of concrete weighing several tons [illegible]. The storm was very severe on the [illegible]. Telegraph lines between Switzerland and [illegible] are down and communication interrupted.

DOMINION.

Rolling Mill Burned.

[illegible] Dec 9.—Loss by the burning of Pill[illegible] rolling mills this morning $60,000; [illegible] $41,000.

WEST INDIES.

Epidemic among the Slaves.

[illegible] Dec 10.—The ship *Forfarshire*, [illegible] arrived at Demerara from Calcutta with coolies, [illegible] from choleric diarrhea on the pa[illegible] deaths; ship *Golden Fleece* at Trinidad with coolies, [illegible] deaths.

This malicious poke by the Pittsburgh [illegible], for instance: [illegible] Volney Voltaire Paine Rosseau Stra[illegible] Smith, or whatever the Christian or [illegible] name of the rather sk[illegible] gentleman who claims to be the legally elected Governor of Arkansas, but who is reported to be hiding so closely that his opponent, Garland, cannot find him, be really so concealed in the United States arsenal at Little Rock, it will prove an awkward thing [illegible] to Congress, to which the whole [illegible] imbroglio has been relegated for settlement.